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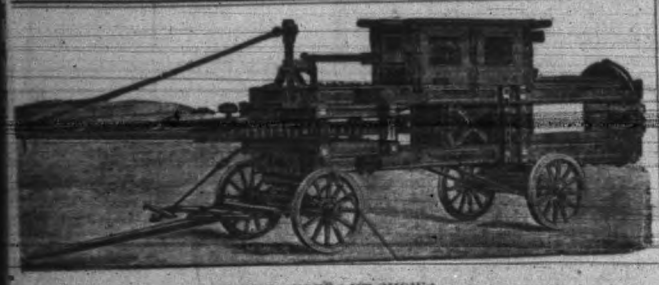

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CRUSHED IN THE RUINS.

A DISASTROUS EXPLOSION IN NEW YORK.

Over Sixty People Crushed or Burned to Death—A Crowded Building Destroyed by the Explosion of a Boiler—Number of Victims Uncertain.

NEW YORK, Aug. 22.—A terrific explosion has just taken place at Shelly's paint and bronze store, at 68 Park Place, blowing out the entire front of the store. The flames are now raging, and many lives are thought to have been lost.

The flames have spread from No. 66 to 76. Five buildings are now burning, and the fire is creeping around to Greenwich Street. Three alarms have been sent out, and many engines are at work. Seven or eight persons have just been taken to the Chambers Street hospital.

It was estimated there were more than 140 boys, girls, men and women in the building at the time. Those who saw the catastrophe say the earth trembled when the explosion occurred, and the flame rose in a sheet in a couple of seconds. The dust from the wreck rose in such clouds that for at least three minutes nothing could be seen of what was left standing, but from the pall which hovered over the wrecked building came clouds of smoke and sheets of flame, and yells and shrieks of agony. Out of the cloud of fire and smoke half a dozen persons emerged, while from the sixth story of the building, on the northeast corner of Greenwich street and Park Place, poured at least 100 working people of both sexes and of all ages, uttering cries of alarm. When the firemen arrived the Taylor building, 66 to 67 Park Place, was ablaze, and the Greenwich street building was on fire. A general alarm was sounded, and the firemen looked around to see if lives could be saved. Near to the entrance and pinned under a lot of masonry was a man whose head and shoulders were visible. While the firemen were endeavoring to unloose him, a crash was heard above, and down came the wreck of part of the Taylor building cornice. The firemen jumped for their lives, and when they dashed back the man was buried by the bricks from the Greenwich street building, which fell so thick that the attempts to rescue him had to be abandoned. Shortly after this a man who said he was an engineer crawled out from under the wreck and fell exhausted. He was sent to the Chambers street hospital. He was unable to give an account of how he escaped.

At 1 o'clock the fire was under control. Half of the Greenwich street building was then burned, while the Taylor building was a complete wreck. The losses are computed at $150,000 for the Taylor building and $40,000 for the Greenwich street building.

As to the loss of life, the most conservative estimate, that of fire chief Cushman, was that 60 persons perished. Persons who know how many worked in the building daily ran the list up to 130. No bodies had been taken out at 1:30, and it appeared impossible to overhaul the ruins for several hours. Eight persons injured by the explosion were taken to the Chambers Street Hospital.

Among the concerns destroyed were Hudson's restaurant, Lindsay's type foundry, E. F. Heaghy's plumbing shops, Lublois' glassware, Cellars & & McDonald's blank book and binding concern, a cigar manufactory and a printing office.

In the restaurant, underneath which it is supposed the boiler exploded, were 12 or 15 persons eating luncheon, and ten waiters and kitchen men. Of these only five were found uninjured. They gathered in a saloon across the street. One of them said to a reporter: "Four of us crawled out from under the brick and stone. I don't know whether the others escaped or not. I believe that some of the men are still in the ruins. Those who were eating in the restaurant ran out the moment the noise of the explosion was heard, but some of them may have been caught. It seemed to me the explosion came from the type foundry upstairs." The other men were so confused they could not tell anything about the disaster, except that they crawled or were pulled out of the ruins. None of them thought the explosion occurred down stairs. They said the noise of the explosion and the falling of the building were simultaneous.

The work of removing the debris to search for the bodies has commenced, but it proceeds slowly owing to the heat of the bricks, etc. Ambulances from the Chambers Street and St. Vincent hospitals are in attendance. Twenty-four injured persons have been taken to the Chambers Street hospital.

Mike Carroll, employed at 86 Park Place, says that a few minutes before the explosion he sent a boy named Ryan to the drug and paint store, No. 72 Park Place. He was waiting for the boy to come out when he heard the explosion. There were about seven persons passing the front of the building at the time and they were knocked down by the shock. Before they recovered the wall fell on them and he believes they were killed. Seven men employed in the kitchen of the restaurant, Carroll says, had no chance of escape, and they may be placed among the killed. A few minutes before he saw four girls at work in the basement, mixing bronze, and he thinks it would be impossible for them to have escaped.

An oil Well on Fire.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Aug. 21.—At one o'clock last night, gas escaping from S. H. Cook's oil well at the Panhandle depot at McDonald, Pa., ignighted it is supposed, from a passing engine. In a moment four large tanks of oil and the derricks were burning fiercely. It is impossible to extinguish the flames, and no effort is made to do so, attention being turned to saving the adjoining property. Several railroad cars were burned. The Cook well is the property of the Wheeling Gas Co., and is doing 175 barrels of oil per hour, and it is burning with such fury that there is no telling when it can be extinguished.

The Editor Was Warned.

NEW YORK, Aug. 21.—The Sun says: "Count" Mitkiewitz and "Shoebox" Miller recently attempted to swindle Frank P. O'Brien, a Birmingham, Alabama, editor, out of $10,000 by getting him interested in a Chinese bank scheme. They showed him letters and telegrams purporting to be from the Chinese minister, Senator Blair, Col. Sheppard and others. O'Brien was put on his guard by W. C. McBride, the Washington newspaper man, and broke off the negotiations after proving that the scheme was a fraud.

A Portland Editor Drowned.

PORTLAND, Aug. 20.—Thomas A. Sutherland, editor of the Sunday Welcome, was drowned this evening at the Stark street ferry landing. In attempting to board the ferry after it had pulled out from the slip, he fell into the river. The body was recovered. Sutherland saw he could not reach the ferry, but was unable to stop himself, and plunged headlong into the water. He was swept under the pontoon, and although several people saw the accident, he was drowned before assistance could reach him.

Floods in Montana.

MACON, Montana, Aug. 21.—The heavy rains of the past few days have caused the Chariton river and Muscolee fork, running through the western portion of Macon county to overflow, and the hay, wheat and oats in stacks and shocks were washed away. Cornfields and fences were destroyed, and a large amount of live stock drowned. It is feared that the railroad and wagon bridges will also be washed out. It is impossible to estimate the loss caused by the high water, but it is tremendous.

Forged Opium Certificates.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 20.—For several days the internal revenue officers have been searching for a man who so successfully forged Agent Thomas' signature to thousands of labels placed on manufactured opium. To-day Wong Gee Ong, a Christianized Chinese, who was suspected of forgery, confessed that he was the guilty person, and in presence of revenue officers imitated Thomas' signature so well that it could hardly be distinguished from the original.

St. Louis Shaken by Earthquake.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 20.—Three distinct shocks of earthquake were felt in the city to-night. So far as can be learned the disturbance was noticed only in the western part of the city, the shock being preceded by thunder and lightning but no rain. The mercury fell 25 deg. before the shocks, the first of which was severe enough to rock houses and break crockery and windows. This was followed by two more. The time was 4:45 o'clock.

Heavy Run of Alaska Salmon.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 20.—The steamer Afognak arrived to-day, nine and a half days from Karlak canneries. Captain Jacobson reported that the run of salmon is so large that the 36 Italians who took the places of the strikers are able to catch more fish in five hours than can be packed in a day. The fishing at Afognak, 80 miles distant, is also good.

Struck by Lightning.

OCEANSIDE, Cala., Aug. 21.—Jim, Dick and Nenios Kobb, two brothers and a cousin, while driving back to Temecula last evening were struck by lightning, leaving all three unconscious for several hours. When they finally regained their senses they found that two of their mules had been killed by the same agency. The same boys had a narrow escape only a short time ago.

Frauds at Bayreuth.

MUNICH, Aug. 20.—Loud complaints continue to be made of the management of the Bayreuth festival. It is alleged that the directors reduced everything to a commercial basis and a very, sordid one at that. Tickets were sold at a premium to the villagers, who in turn sold them to visitors at a profit of 300 per cent. In every other way that could be devised visitors were fleeced. A villager, who is defending a suit for usury, has on the trial made many interesting revelations, from which it would appear that the Bayreuth people practically banded together to despoil the unlucky disciples of Wagner who ventured into the town.

The Empress of China.

HONG KONG, Aug. 22.—The Canadian Pacific s.s. Empress of China on the third and last around the world excursion, arrived here to-day (Saturday) and will leave for Vancouver September 1. All of the Canadian Pacific fleet are now on their regular station.

The Kaiser at Work.

BERLIN, Aug. 22.—The Emperor and Empress arrived in Berlin this morning. Shortly afterwards they proceeded on horseback to Templehof, where the Emperor received the guards.

Forest Fire in Algeria.

PARIS, Aug. 20.—At Ammlousa, in Algeria, a great forest fire is raging and 35,000 acres of wood has already been destroyed.

WHARF AND WAVE.

Jottings of Interest to Marine Men Concisely Compiled.

The crew of the schooner May Belle were paid off to-day.

Steamer Badger brought in a scow-load of building stone to-day.

Bark Pisagua arrived in Esquimalt last evening from Pisagua, Chili. She will load lumber.

Tug Lorne left for Vancouver this morning to take the bark H. B. McCann from Moodyville to sea. She is lumber laden for Australia.

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STARVATION IN RUSSIA.

SUFFERINGS CAUSED BY GRAIN SCARCITY.

Parents Selling Their Children to Buy Food—All Classes Suffering Severely—Exile of the Manipuri Offenders to the Andaman Islands.

LONDON, Aug. 22.—The stories of misery received from Russia are almost incredible. In Bessarabia parents are actually offering their children for sale, in order to buy food, and dealers at Constantinople hearing of this, have purchased through agents in the Russian villages a considerable number of female children. Many deaths have been caused through famine, and families may be found actually perishing for hunger, and huddled together in their common misery. The stewards of crown lands and forests have been instructed to allow peasantry to enjoy free pasture, and freely to gather mushrooms, which are largely consumed among the lower classes of Russia, and to gather wild fruits in the forests and woods of the state. This, however, doesn't answer the demand for substantial food. The famine cripples also the resources of Russia, and it is believed that for this reason there will be no war for many months. The collection of state and local taxes in at least 20 provinces will fall considerably behind their usual count. Besides large sums are required to prevent the whole population from starvation. The government authorities being now aroused, are exerting themselves with energy, and distribution of relief is going on as rapidly as possible. When a quantity of grain reached Marinpel, in the Province of Katerinosa, on Tuesday, the people were so weak with want that they were hardly able to come and get their portions. They gathered near the place of distribution, presenting a piteable spectacle with their wan faces and wasted forms. A force of police was present to preserve order, but instead the police had in several cases to keep applicants from falling through their hunger and weakness. Nor is the misery confined to the lowest classes. Among the applicants at Marinpal are noblemen and tradesmen, the latter ruined in business through loss of custom on account of the famine, and the former deprived of the margin between their debts and their income, on which they had depended. The prohibition of the export of rye was none too soon, if the more frightful results of famine were to be avoided.

EXILED MANIPURIS.

The Manipur regent (the Jubria), who was the leader of the attack upon the British residency, at Manipur, and Prince Angoa Aena, have been sentenced to exile, their sentence of death having been commuted to transportation for life and the forfeit of their property. The Andaman Island, in the Indian Ocean, to which the regent of Manipur has been deported, was also the place of banishment of the king of Delhi, condemned for his share in the in the great mutiny. They are the worst penal settlements in the British Empire, and transportation there is greatly dreaded by East Indian criminals. The regent and his younger brother, whose life has also been spared, will be kept at Port Blair, the chief settlement on the islands, probably in the same quarters the King of Delhi occupied. They will be allowed at large within the limits of the settlement, as there is no danger of escape. Convicts being well aware that the savages who inhabit the woods would kill and devour them at the first opportunity. Indeed, a number of convicts have perished at the hands of these cannibals.

EIGHT MINERS KILLED.

Terrible Dynamite Explosion at the Black Bear Tunnel.

BURKE, Idaho, Aug. 20.—Two hundred pounds of giant powder exploded at the mouth of the lower tunnel of the Black Bear mine yesterday with terrible effects. Four men were imprisoned at the breast of the drift by a rock which caved in, and were suffocated. The bodies of four others have not yet been found, but all hope of finding them alive has been abandoned. The explosion was terrific, tearing up the earth and caving in the tunnel for a distance of 100 feet.

At 4 o'clock a rescuing party had recovered the dead bodies of four miners, G. McNeill, general manager; John Jense, assistant manager; Robert Blackburn and John Barrins, miners. There are four others missing, and it is feared their bodies are blown to atoms. Jense is a brother of one of the proprietors, and Mr. Blackburn was secretary of the Central Miners' Union at Burke. Just how the explosion occurred cannot be learned, but it is supposed that a lighted candle or fire from a pipe dropped into a box of powder or fuse by some one passing, was the cause. Four cases of 200 sticks each exploded almost simultaneously.

The Black Bear mine is situated halfway between Wallace and here, on what is known as Canyon Creek, near the town of Gem. It was formerly owned by O. B. Hardy and Peter Jense, but Mr. Hardy recently disposed of his interest to Messrs. Campbell and Finch. The bodies of the men recovered were found at a distance of 150 feet from the mouth of the tunnel, and death resulted from suffocation. Three of the men who are missing were supposed to be near the scene of the explosion, and it is thought that with them lies the knowledge of the cause of the explosion. The work of searching for the bodies will be continued until it is reasonably sure that they are all accounted for.

Jense, Blackburn and Barrins were found near the wreck smothered by gas from the explosion. They had evidently been in the rear end of the tunnel, and hearing the explosion came forward and tried to open the passage way, but were overcome by gas. A short time before relief came, a voice was heard by the men outside saying: "For God's sake hurry up!" Mr. McNeill was a young man, an assayer and mining man of considerable promise, and had been in charge of the mine about a month. He was from Iowa, and has sisters in San Francisco and a brother in Butte. Peter Jense, a prominent railroad contractor and brother of one of the killed, arrived at Wallace from Portland to-day, to hear of the accident on arrival. His deceased brother had only been in this district for two years, and was assisting McNeill in a survey of the mine. The miners were working on a contract to extend the tunnel when the accident occurred.

MISS ELSIE DE WOLFE.

The New Society Actress and Successor of Mrs. James Brown Potter.

There appears to be a "royal road" to success on the stage and that is to step thereon from a stage box, over the footlights, without having to enter the back stage door. It was thus that Mrs. Potter made her debut and Miss Elsie de Wolfe, her friend, one of New York's

400, is now to follow her example. Miss de Wolfe is a member of one of the oldest, most fashionable and respectable families in New York City, if not the State. She has been identified with many amateur performances in public. Her father was the late Dr. de Wolfe. Miss de Wolfe is a brunette, of slight figure and regular features. She will make her debut as a professional actress in Charles Frohman's production of Sardou's "Thermidor" at Proctor's Theatre, New York, in October, and her work for the past eight months has been in preparation for this play.

TALK OF WAR.

Russia Storing up Corn—Increase of Troops on the Austrian Frontier.

BERLIN, Aug. 21.—The Cologne Gazette publishes a report that Russia is storing up corn for war. The Tagblatt says: "England's interest lies on our side. Should France and Russia defeat the driebund, the immediate consequence would be the expulsion of England from Egypt."

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 21.—The heavy replenishment of stores at the military grain depots of Poland, Lithuania and Bessarabia give rise to rumors of Russian war preparations.

LONDON, Aug. 21.—The Chronicle warns France that England's hard fate in the Crimea was due to depending upon German friendship, and it is likely to be her's if she depends upon Russia in the hour of need.

PARIS, Aug. 21.—The Journal des Debats warns the French government to be satisfied with the friendship of Russia and England, and not attempt the impossible task of forming another driebund.

LONDON, Aug. 21.—The correspondent of the Standard in Roumania reports an enormous increase of the Russian troops on the Austrian frontier. Former small frontier guards have grown into a permanent body, ready to invade Austria at a few hours' notice. Forts and observation towers are being built, and Russia has subsidized a shipping company to build a large dock at Reni and forward troops to any part of the Black Sea. Pontoons and barracks are also building at Reni.

A Convict Outbreak.

WALLA WALLA, Aug. 20.—A desperate attempt was made at the penitentiary to-day by convicts to escape, and two prisoners were killed and one wounded. The break was frustrated by the bravery of Warden McClus and the coolness of his guards. There were about 125 men in the brickyard when a train came in with material. A plot had been arranged among about forty prisoners to make a break for liberty. Four men seized Warden McClus and four more jumped on the locomotive. The engineer, before he was thrown off, reversed his engine and put on a full head of steam. This sent the locomotive in an opposite direction and spoiled the original plan. The locomotive crashed through the gate and was stopped by ditched cars. In the meantime the warden, with sharp knives at his throat, was being carried forward to open the opposite gate. He was told that he must order the guards to lay down their guns, or he would be killed. When within a short distance of the guards at the gate, Guard Berry opened fire, killing one of the men who had a knife, and the other tried to run. He, too, was shot down. The men killed are William Gleason, sent up last year from Seattle for thirteen years for robbery and attempted murder, and John Morris, also sent up for seven years for robbery, from Seattle. They and Lattin, the Tacoma murderer, were the leaders of the crowd.

Another large consignment of those extra value men's $2.50 laced and Congress Shoes; also $2.00 Oxford, just received at the One Price Cash House of Carmichael & Paterson, 35 Johnson street.

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DON'T INVITE SORROW.

SUFFICIENT UNTO THE DAY IS THE EVIL THEREOF.

Dr. Talmage Preaches a Powerful Sermon on the Insanity of Borrowing Trouble—It Has Wrecked Many a Life. The Lord Will Look Out for You.

BROOKLYN, Aug. 16.—Dr. Talmage has returned from his western tour relaxed, recruited in health and cheered by the hearty and enthusiastic greetings he has received in the numerous cities he has visited. Thousands of persons who have read his sermons in their local newspapers have struggled to get within sound of his voice wherever he has spoken. His sermon this week is on the very common and foolish habit of borrowing trouble, and his text is Matthew vi, 34, "Sufficient unto the day is the evil thereof."

The life of every man, woman and child is as closely under the divine care as though such person were the only man, woman or child. There are no accidents. As there is a law of storms in the natural world, so there is a law of trouble, a law of disaster, a law of misfortune; but the majority of the troubles of life are imaginary, and the most of those anticipated never come. At any rate, there is no cause of complaint against God. See how much he hath done to make thee happy; his sunshine filling the earth with glory, making rainbow for the storm and halo for the mountain, greenness for the moss, saffron for the cloud and crystal for the billow, and procession of illumined flame through the opening gates of the morning, chaffinches to sing, rivers to glitter, seas to chant, and springs to blossom, and overpowering all other sounds with its song, and overarching all other splendor with its triumph, covering up all other beauty with its garlands, and outflashing all other thrones with its dominion—deliverance for a lost world through the Great Redeemer.

I discourse of the sin of borrowing trouble.

First, such a habit of mind and heart is wrong, because it puts one into a despondency that ill fits him for duty. I planted two rose bushes in my garden. The one thrived beautifully, the other perished. I found the dead one on the shady side of the house. Our dispositions, like our plants, need sunshine. Expectancy of repulse is the cause of many secular and religious failures. Fear of bankruptcy has aptorn many a fine business and sent the man dodging among the note shavers. Fear of slander and abuse has often invited all the long beaked vultures of scorn and backbiting. Many of the misfortunes of life, like hyenas, flee if you courageously meet them.

FORCE HAPPINESS TO COME.

How poorly prepared for religious duty is a man who sits down under the gloom of expected misfortune! If he pray, he says, "I do not think I shall be answered." If he give, he says, "I expect they will steal the money." Helen Chalmers told me that her father, Thomas Chalmers, in the darkest hour of the history of the Free Church of Scotland, and when the woe of the land seemed to weigh upon his heart, said to the children, "Come, let us go out and play ball or fly kite," and the only difficulty in the play was that the children could not keep up with their father. The McCheynes and the Summerfields of the church who did the most good, cultivated sunlight. Away with the horrors! they distill poison; they dig graves, and if they could climb so high, they would drown the rejoicings of heaven with sobs and wailing.

You will have nothing but misfortune in the future if you sedulously watch for it. How shall a man catch the right kind of fish if he arranges his line and hook and bait to catch lizards and water serpents? Hunt for bats and hawks and bats and hawks you will find. Hunt for robin redbreasts and you will find robin redbreasts. One night an eagle and an owl got into fierce battle; the eagle unused to the night was no match for an owl, which is most at home in the darkness, and the king of the air fell helpless; but the morning rose, and with it rose the eagle; and the owls and the night hawks and the bats came a second time to the combat; now, the eagle, in the sunlight, with a stroke of his talons and a great cry, cleared the air, and his enemies, with torn feathers and splashed with blood, tumbled into the thickets. Ye are the children of light. In the night of despondency you will have no chance against your enemies that flock up from beneath, but, trusting in God and standing in the sunshine of the promises, you shall "renew your youth like the eagle."

THERE ARE BLESSINGS A-PLENTY.

Again, the habit of borrowing trouble is wrong because it has a tendency to make us overlook present blessing. To slake man's thirst, the rock is cleft, and cool waters leap into his brimming cup. To feed his hunger the fields bow down with bending wheat, and the cattle come down with full udders from the clover pastures to give him milk, and the orchards yellow and ripen, casting their juicy fruits into his lap. Alas! that amid such exuberance of blessing man should growl as though he were a soldier on half rations, or a sailor on short allowance; that a man should stand neck deep in harvests looking forward to famine; that one should feel the strong pulses of health marching with regular tread through all the avenues of life and yet tremble at the expected assault of sickness; that a man should sit in his pleasant home, fearful that ruthless want will some day rattle the broken window sash with tempest, and sweep the coals from the hearth, and pour hunger into the bread tray; that a man fed by him who owns all the harvests should expect to starve; that one whom God loves and surrounds with benediction, and attends with angelic escort, and hovers over with more than motherly fondness, should be looking for a heritage of tears!

Has God been hard with thee that thou shouldst be foreboding? Has he stinted thy board? Has he covered thee with rags? Has he spread traps for thy feet, and galled thy cup, and rasped thy soul, and wrecked thee with storm, and thundered upon thee with a life full of calamity? If your father or brother come into your bank where gold and silver are lying about you do not watch them, for you know they are honest; but if an entire stranger come by the safe you keep your eye on him, for you do not know his designs. So some men treat God, not as a father, but a stranger, and act suspiciously toward him, as though they were afraid he would steal something.

THANK GOD FOR WHAT YOU HAVE.

It is high time you began to thank God for your present blessing. Thank him for your children, happy, buoyant and bounding. Praise him for your home, with its fountain of song and laughter. Adore him for morning light and evening shadow. Praise him for fresh, cool water bubbling from the rock, leaping in the cascade, soaring in the mist, falling in the shower, dashing against the rock and clapping its hands in the tempest.

Again, the habit of borrowing trouble is wrong because the present is sufficiently taxed with trial. God sees that we all need a certain amount of trouble, and so he apportions it for all the days and years of our life. Alas for the policy of gathering it all up for one day or year! Cruel thing to put upon the back of one camel all the cargo intended for the entire caravan. I never look at my memorandum book to see what engagements and duties are far ahead. Let every week bear its own burdens.

WHY BRING NEW SORROWS?

The shadows of today are thick enough, why implore the presence of other shadows? The cup is already distasteful, why halloo to disasters far distant to come and wring out more gall into the bitterness? Are we such champions that, having won the belt in former encounters, we can go forth to challenge all the future?

Here are business men just able to manage affairs as they now are. They can pay their rent, and meet their notes, and manage affairs as they now are, but what if there should come a panic? Go tomorrow and write on your daybook, on your ledger, on your money safe, "Sufficient unto the day is the evil thereof." Do not worry about notes that are far from due. Do not pile up on your counting desk the financial anxieties of the next twenty years. The God who has taken care of your worldly occupation, guarding your store from the torch of the incendiary and the key of the burglar, will be as faithful in 1891 as in 1881. God's hand is mightier than the machinations of stock gamblers, or the plots of political demagogues, or the red right arm of revolution, and the darkness will fly and the storm fall dead at his feet.

So there are persons in feeble health, and they are worried about the future. They make out very well now, but they are bothering themselves about future pleurisies, and rheumatisms and neuralgias and fevers. Their eyesight is feeble, and they are worried lest they entirely lose it. Their hearing is indistinct, and they are alarmed lest they become entirely deaf. They felt chilly today, and are expecting an attack of typoid. They have been troubled for weeks with some perplexing malady, and dread becoming lifelong invalids. Take care of your health now and trust God for the future.

Do not be guilty of the blasphemy of asking him to take care of you while you sleep with your windows tight down, or eat chicken salad at 11 o'clock at night, or sit down on a cake of ice to cool off. Be prudent and then be confident. Some of the sickest people have been the most useful. It was so with Payson, who died deaths daily, and Robert Hall, who used to stop in the midst of his sermon and lie down on the pulpit sofa to rest, and then go on again. Theodore Frelinghuysen had a great horror of dying till the time came, and then went peacefully. Take care of the present and let the future look out for itself. "Sufficient unto the day is the evil thereof."

HOW GREAT STRENGTH WE HAVE.

Again, the habit of borrowing misfortune is wrong because it unfits us for it when it actually does come. We cannot always have smooth sailing. Life's path will sometimes tumble among declivities and mount a steep and be thorn pierced. Judas will kiss our cheek and then sell us for thirty pieces of silver. Human scorn will try to crucify us between two thieves. We will hear the iron gate of the sepulcher creak and grind as it shuts in our kindred. But we cannot get ready for these things by forebodings. They who fight imaginary woes will come, out of breath, into conflict with the armed disasters of the future. Their ammunition will have been wasted long before they come under the guns of real misfortune. Boys in attempting to jump a wall sometimes go so far back in order to get impetus that, when they come up they are exhausted; and these long races in order to get spring enough to vault trouble bring us up at last to the dreadful reality with our strength gone.

Finally, the habit of borrowing trouble is wrong because it is unbelief. God has promised to take care of us. The Bible blooms with assurances. Your hunger will be fed; your sickness will be alleviated; your sorrows will be healed. God will sandal your feet and smooth your path, and along by frowning crag and opening grave sound the voices of victory and good cheer. The summer clouds that seem thunder charged really carry in their bosom harvests of wheat, and shocks of corn, and vineyards purpling for the wine press. The wrathful wave will kiss the feet of the great storm walker. Our great Joshua will command, and above your soul the sun of prosperity will stand still. Bleak and wave struck Patmos shall have apocalyptic vision, and you shall hear the cry of the elders, and the sweep of wings, and trumpets of salvation, and the voice of Hallelujah unto God for ever.

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> Let pleasure chant her siren song,
> 'Tis not the song for me;
> To weeping it will turn o'er long,
> For this is heaven's decree.
>
> But there's a song the ransomed sing,
> To Jesus, their exalted king,
> With joyful heart and tongue,
> Oh, that's the song for me!

Courage, my brother! The father does not give to his son at school enough money to last him several years, but, as the bills for tuition and board and clothing and books come in, pays them. So God will not give you grace all at once for the future, but will meet all your exigencies as they come. Through earnest prayer, trust him. Put everything in God's hand, and leave it there. Large interest money to pay will soon eat up a farm, a store, an estate, and the interest on borrowed troubles will swamp anybody. "Sufficient unto the day is the evil thereof."

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	Ar.	Ar.		
	12 35 P M	6 00 P M		VICTORIA
	12 45	6 14	1	Victoria West
	12 50	6 19	2	Esquimalt
	12 54 A M	6 23	3	Gorge
	10 00	6 25	4	Craigflower
	10 04	6 33	6	Tillicum
	10 07	6 37	7	Burnside
	10 12	6 42	8	Gorge Park
	10 17	6 47	9	Cedar Hill
	10 21	6 51	10	Mt. Tolmie
	10 25	6 55	11	Mackenzie
	10 31	7 00	12	Kingsley
	10 35	7 05	13	Hillside
	10 40	7 10	14	Quadra
	10 45	7 15	15	Cedar Hill Junction
	10 50	7 20	16	Shawnigan Lake
	10 55	7 25	17	Cobble Hill
	11 00	7 30	18	Cowichan
	11 05	7 35	19	Manson's
	11 10	7 40	20	Koksilah
	11 15	7 45	21	Tansor
	11 20	7 50	22	Jerry's Ranch
	11 25	7 55	23	Somenos
	11 30	8 00	24	Chemainus
	11 40	8 20	27	NANAIMO
	Ar.	Lv.		

GOING NORTH. READ DOWN.	No. 2 Passenger Daily.	No. 3 Passenger Sat. and Sun.	Miles from Victoria.	STATIONS.
	Lv.	Lv.		
	8 00 A M	2 30 P M		NANAIMO
	8 04	2 34	3	Chemainus
	8 14	2 44	10	Somenos
	8 19	2 49	13	Jerry's Ranch
	8 23	2 53	15	Tansor
	8 27	2 57	17	Koksilah
	8 32	3 02	18	Manson's
	8 37	3 07	19	Cowichan
	8 42	3 12	20	Cobble Hill
	8 47	3 17	21	Shawnigan Lake
	8 52	3 22	22	Cedar Hill Junction
	8 57	3 27	23	Quadra
	9 02	3 32	24	Hillside
	9 06	3 36	25	Kingsley
	9 12	3 42	26	McKenzie
	9 16	3 46	27	Mt. Tolmie
	9 20	3 50	28	Cedar Hill
	9 25	3 55	29	Burnside
	9 28	3 58	30	Gorge Park
	9 32	4 02	31	Tillicum
	9 36	4 06	32	Craigflower
	9 40	4 10	33	Gorge
	9 45	4 15	34	Esquimalt
	9 50	4 20	35	Victoria West
	9 55	4 25	36	VICTORIA
	Ar.	Ar.		

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DISCUSSION AT THE BOARD OF TRADE ROOMS.

The Disadvantages of Bad Hotel Accommodation Plainly Discussed—Proposals for a First-Class Hotel—Committee Appointed to Further the Scheme.

There was a thoroughly representative meeting of merchants and other leading citizens at yesterday's meeting of the Board of Trade to discuss the hotel question, and the meeting was thoroughly in earnest. Among those present were W. Dalby, Dr. Milne, T. Byrnes, J. H. Brownlee, Robert Irving, sr., G. Byrnes, John Hall, W. Ward, C. E. Renouf, T. B. Hall, H. Helmcken, A. G. Flummerfelt, Joshua Davies, A. G. McCandless, Joshua Hoffar, A. M. Muir, J. Redon, W. Sparrow, Boggs, Munro Miller, J. Mitchell, J. H. Bone, H. A. Munn, A. G. Sargison, H. Carmichael, W. J. Taylor, W. Ellis, Robert Irving, Robert Ward, Joseph Heywood, D. R. Ker, F. Elworthy, Hon. Dr. Helmcken, A. B. Gray, Jensen, D. W. Higgins, R. P. Rithet, F. S. Barnard.

Mr. Elworthy read the following report of the committee appointed to investigate the hotel question.

Your committee appointed to further investigate the hotel question, beg to report as follows:

That we have looked over the many locations spoken of as suitable for hotel purposes, and are more convinced than ever that the site selected for the Canada Western offers advantages unsurpassed by any other. The close proximity to steamers, (both outer and inner harbors), makes it specially convenient for the landing of passengers, also being within easy reach of all car lines, and within ten minutes walk of the park; besides, from its position, it will command one of the finest views of the Straits and Olympic range from its upper stories. Another matter of great importance is that the site is now ready for the foundations to be laid.

We have interviewed the principal shareholders in the Canada Western Company, and are able to lay before you a statement of the standing of that company; owing to the lack of paying sufficient shares, and stringency in the money market, they have not been able to proceed with construction. We would, therefore, strongly recommend that immediate steps be taken to secure the placing of shares to the amount of, say, $100,000; this would put the company in such a position that construction would be commenced at once.

We would also draw your attention to the fact that the year 1893 is looked forward to by the railway and steamship companies as being likely to far surpass any previous year in regard to travel; this will be owing to tickets from all European ports being sold at a very slight advance through to the Pacific Coast, with stop over at the World's Fair.

In conclusion, we would point out that this city is losing prestige every day owing to its lack of first-class hotel accommodation, and that no further time should be lost in remedying this state of affairs.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

(Signed) GEORGE BYRNES,
D. R. KER.

The president asked for discussion, stating that the meeting had been convened to redeem Victoria.

Mr. Robert Ward thought it would be just as well, if the president had it, that the balance sheet of the Canada Western Hotel should be read to the meeting. He did not think that members thoroughly understood how this $100,000 were arrived at.

Mr. D. R. Ker said the balance sheet would show that there was $110,000 worth of stock subscribed. The estimated cost of the hotel is somewhere in the neighborhood of $300,000. There is $65,000 paid up. The site as it stands now represents $65,000.

Mr. Robert Ward thought that in mentioning $100,000 he had underestimated the cost of the proposed hotel.

Mr. Higgins—What would the furniture cost?

Mr. Ker—Those are details which we did not take into consideration.

Mr. Rithet said it seemed to him also that the committee had underestimated the responsibilities of the undertaking from a money standpoint. He thought in floating a scheme of this kind, the amount for the whole of the stock should be subscribed, because money can be borrowed more easily on stock which has been subscribed. Mr. Rithet thought if the committee would lay a little more stress upon the financial part of the matter, business might be greatly facilitated. Then, he thought the position of the hotel was a very important question. Although a shareholder in the Canada Western, he could not get up the enthusiasm that others felt as to the site; still he was quite willing to join in with whatever the others might wish. He fancied a more desirable site, giving a great deal more room. He had noticed that what all modern hotels need is plenty of space, with a garden if possible; a hotel in which families may spend a longer time than mere passing travelers do.

Mr. George Byrnes said, with reference to the remarks of Mr. Rithet as to site, the committee had considered that matter pretty thoroughly, and had come to the conclusion that the site selected for the Canada Western was the most desirable one in the city. It was the wish to combine as much as possible a hotel that would command the city as well as the tourist travel. He considered it a standing disgrace to the city of Victoria that it has not hotel accommodation such as travel calls for at the present day. (Hear, hear, and applause.) In referring to a chat which he had with Senator Mitchell, of Portland, Mr. Byrnes remarked that that gentleman stated the hotel in Portland had been the means of bringing trade to the city, which was losing it before. The citizens had to go down in their pockets and get the money out; but they have not had any reason to regret it since. On the contrary, if we had a hotel here with first class accommodations our traffic would be increased 200 or 300 per cent. But it is the lack of anything like proper accommodations which is thrown in our face all the time by travellers and tourists. (Hear, hear.)

In reply to a query of Ald. Renouf, Mr. Redon said the estimated cost of the original building was $400,000; the accommodation was 287 rooms.

(A further statement elicited the statement from Mr. Redon that he was willing to dispose of his stock at the price he had paid for it.

Mr. Robert Ward—It has been suggested that under these circumstances we should begin again de novo. I know there is a great deal of objection to the site, and although I am a shareholder in the Canada Western myself, I should be satisfied to make a sacrifice to begin the question again entirely (hear, hear); with that object, perhaps it would be as well to form ourselves into a committee, or form a committee of the Board of Trade, and request it to lay a practical scheme for the consideration of the gentlemen present to-day. I can only confirm, I am sorry to say, what Mr. Byrnes has stated with regard to the hotel accommodations of this town. Like many other gentlemen, I have been travelling a good deal lately, and I have often felt ashamed of having it dashed at me, "What beastly hotels you have in Victoria" (hear, hear). As to excusing them, I could not think of doing so. It is, without doubt, a very serious drawback to this place. I shall be only too pleased to heartily support any fresh scheme that is brought up. From the remarks that have fallen from Mr. Redon, I gather we are to a certain extent hampered in the direction of proceeding with the Canada Western, but I do not think that any great loss would be sustained by the disposal of that property. If the owners have any overtures to make to the new committee which will be formed at this meeting, they will be considered I have no doubt, and if there is any advantage in them we may decide to accept them. I would move that a committee be appointed by the council of the Board of Trade to deal with this question and report to a general meeting of the citizens, such as we have here to-day, dealing as fully as possible with the question of the site, estimate of the accommodation and cost of a first class hotel and also to make such suggestions of the most practical way of financing the scheme so as to ensure the early completion of the hotel. The committee to report not latter than the 30th September.

The chairman remarked that he did not think it was a matter for the Board of Trade to appoint this committee. The reason why the council took action was because of the apathy displayed by the general public. He would like to see the committee appointed not confined to the Board of Trade.

A general discussion on the duties of such a committee ensued in which several of those present took part.

Hon. D. W. Higgins said he was in favor of no particular site, but he had a decided objection to the site of the proposed Canada Western Hotel. He had noticed that in all the best hotels elsewhere the location was some distance out of the heart of the city where there was plenty of room. His own idea with regard to the prosperity of Victoria was that we are losing a great deal from the want of a first-class hotel.

After some further discussion Mr. Ward amended his resolution to meet the wishes of the chairman, and the following gentlemen were appointed a committee:

Messrs. Dalby, Geo. Byrnes, W. P. Sayward, Wm. Dalby, Robert Irving, sr., A. C. Flummerfelt, Wm. Wilson and D. R. Ker.

An Oregon Stage Robbed.

THE DALLES, Or., Aug. 20.—The Prineville and Canyon City stage was held up yesterday afternoon near Snear's bridge by a masked man with a Winchester rifle, who ordered the driver, Charles Adams, to throw out the mail sacks. The driver threw out five sacks and was then ordered by the highwayman to drive on. The stage carried no passengers. Parties who visited the scene afterwards found two mail sacks. The other three had been taken away. The sacks taken contained money, registered letters, etc. Two masks were found, made out of a portion of meal sacks. The robber is described as a medium sized man, wearing blue overalls. The driver was so excited that he could not tell whether the man wore a coat or not. Two Indians are now on the trail of the robber, following it with prospects of soon capturing him.

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A BY-LAW

To amend the Revenue By-Law, 1889.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the "Revenue By-Law, 1889."

THEREFORE BE IT ENACTED by the Mayor and Aldermen of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:—

Section 3 of the said By-Law is hereby amended as follows:—

By striking out the word "sixty" in the fifth line thereof and inserting therefor the word "fifty."

And by striking out from Section Nine of Schedule "A" of said By-Law all the words and figures after the second line thereof and inserting therefor the following words and figures, that is to say:—

"From every person who, either on his own behalf or as agent for another or others, sells, solicits, or takes orders for the sale by retail of goods, wares, or merchandise, to be supplied or furnished by any person or firm doing business outside of the Province, and not having a permanent or licensed place of business within the Province, the sum of Fifty Dollars for every six months."

This By-Lay may be cited as "The Revenue By-Law Amendment By-Law, 1891."

Passed the Municipal Council this 17th day of June, A.D., 1891.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council the 29th day of July, A.D., 1891.

[L.S.] JOHN GRANT, Mayor.
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C.M.C. jy31

A BY-LAW

To Aid the British Columbia Agricultural Association.

WHEREAS the British Columbia Agricultural Association is an association duly incorporated under the laws of the said Province for the protection and advancement of agricultural interests, and for the promotion and welfare of mechanical and industrial operations;

AND WHEREAS the Corporation of the City of Victoria have determined to aid and assist the said Association in its operations by giving to the said Association the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars ($25,000) for the purpose of erecting exhibition buildings;

AND WHEREAS the said Corporation are authorized to make such grant by sub-section 13 of Section 96 of the Municipal Act, 1891;

AND WHEREAS for the purposes aforesaid it is intended to raise by way of loan upon the credit of the City the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars;

AND WHEREAS it will require the sum of $1936 to be raised annually by special rate for paying the debt to be hereby created and the interest thereon;

AND WHEREAS the amount of the whole rateable property of the said Corporation according to the last revised assessment roll being for the year 1890 is $9,358,194;

AND WHEREAS on paying the interest and creating an equal yearly sinking fund for paying the principal of the said debt intended to be hereby created according to the Municipal Act, 1891, an equal special rate of 21-1000 of 1 per cent on the dollar will be required;

AND WHEREAS it is intended to reduce the general rate so that the said special rate shall not increase the total rate of taxation;

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED by the Mayor and Aldermen of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

1. It shall be lawful for the Mayor of the said City of Victoria to raise by way of loan from any person or persons or body or bodies corporate who may be willing to advance the same upon the credit of the debentures hereinafter mentioned a sum of money not exceeding in the whole the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars and cause the same to be paid in to the Treasurer of the said Corporation, and the said sum of twenty-five thousand dollars shall be paid out by the said Treasurer to such person or persons in such sum or sums as shall appear by the certificate of the Board of Trustees hereinafter mentioned to be entitled to same.

2. There shall be appointed a Board of Trustees of said Association, and the same shall consist of five members, two to be appointed by the said Association and three by the said Corporation.

3. Immediately upon the appointment of the said Board of Trustees the whole property of the said Association shall vest in said Trustees, their successors, executors and administrators.

4. If the said Trustees so to be appointed as aforesaid or either of them shall die, go to reside abroad refuse or become incapable to act in the trusts hereinafter set forth, the place of the trustees so dying, going to reside abroad refusing or becoming incapable to act in the said trusts, shall be filled by the appointment of a new trustee or trustees by the said Association in the case of the two Trustees appointed by them, and by the said Corporation in the case of the three Trustees appointed by them.

5. The duties of the said Trustees shall be to see that the said sum of twenty-five thousand dollars is wholly and properly expended by the said Association in making bona fide, permanent improvements upon the property of the said Association, and in no other manner whatever.

6. The said Association shall keep the building so to be erected in good and substantial repair, reasonable wear and tear excepted, and in the event of the said Association ceasing to carry on its operations upon the premises upon which the said sum of twenty-five thousand dollars shall have been expended, then the said sum of twenty-five thousand dollars shall be a first charge thereon.

7. The acceptance by the said Association of the benefit of this grant shall be conclusive evidence of the assent of the said Association to the foregoing clauses of this by-law.

8. It shall be lawful for the said Mayor to cause any debentures to be issued for such sums of money as may be required, either in currency or sterling money, not less than five hundred dollars ($500) each, or the sterling equivalent of that sum, and each and all such debentures shall be sealed with the common seal of the said Corporation, signed by the Mayor, and countersigned by the Clerk of the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria.

9. The said debentures shall be payable in twenty years from the date hereinafter mentioned for this by-law to take effect, at the office of the said Treasurer of the said Corporation at the City Hall, Victoria, and shall have attached to them coupons for the payment of interest.

10. The said debentures shall bear interest at and after the rate of five per cent. per annum from the date thereof, which interest shall be payable half-yearly at the office of the said Treasurer.

11. For the purpose of forming a sinking fund for the payment of the said debentures and the interest to become due thereon, an equal special rate of 21-1000 of one per cent. on the dollar, shall in addition to all other rates be raised, levied and collected in each year upon all rateable property within the said city of Victoria during the continuance of the said debentures or any of them.

12. That it shall be lawful for the said Municipal Council from time to time to purchase any of the said debentures, and such debentures shall be so expressed as to entitle the said Council to redeem and purchase the same on paying the amount thereof and interest due thereon at the date of such purchase to the holder or holders thereof.

13. This by-law shall before the final passage thereof receive the assent of the ratepayers of the said Corporation in the manner provided by the Municipal Act, 1891, and shall take effect on the 27th day of June, A.D. 1891.

14. The said Mayor shall not issue any of the said debentures until the Corporation of the City of Victoria shall request him so to do.

15. This by-law is passed upon the express understanding that the said Association shall employ no Chinese in or about the works carried on by them.

16. This by-law may be cited as "The Agricultural Association By-Law.

Passed the Municipal Council the 22nd day of May, A.D. 1891.

Received the assent of the ratepayers the 9th day of June, A.D. 1891.

Re-considered and finally passed the Council 11th day of June, A.D. 1891.

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HENRY T. FLETT.
August 18, 1891. au21-2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands on Hernando Island, in Sayward District: Commencing at a post at the northwest corner of W. Blaney's pre-emption claim; thence south 40 chains; thence west 40 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence east 40 chains to the place of commencement, containing 160 acres, more or less.
WILLIAM HARRIS.
Vancouver, July 30th, 1891. ly30

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase 640 acres of land, situated between Poet Heights and Pachena Cove, in Alberni District, commencing at a post about three miles south from Sarrita Valley Creek; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence 80 chains to the place of commencement.
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(Sgd) J. PHOENIX.
28th July, 1891. ly31-2m-w

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The Daily Times.

DOMINION VOTERS.

There will be another opportunity, in about six weeks or two months, for every man who is entitled to a vote and who has not yet registered, to have his name enrolled. The list will be printed at Ottawa, and when returned to Mr. Johnson, it can be examined by every person interested, and a time will then be named by that gentleman to make corrections and to add names omitted. That will be the last chance, and if not taken advantage of promptly, there will be hundreds of names left off. The Revising Barrister's work has been faithfully performed thus far, but as he has only had access to the assessment rolls, which do not contain the names of those qualified on income, he is not responsible if a large number of that class should be omitted. It is the duty of each elector to see for himself that his name is correctly placed upon the voters' list, and every mechanic, clerk, and working man, not qualified on real estate, is advised to examine the list when printed with that object in view.

THE DISHONEST ORGAN.

If the Colonist were to pay more attention to its own honesty and less to the TIMES' manners it would do itself a service. The organ seeks to justify its assertion that the TIMES advised the Trustees to pursue a course contrary to law, by quoting from a TIMES article of July 4. There it was set forth that by section 46 of the old School Act one of the duties imposed upon trustees was to see that the schools were conducted according to the rules and regulations. The old Act—and therefore the clause cited—was in force when the difficulty in regard to the Latin examination arose, a difficulty which was passed on by the old board to its succesor. The obligation to inquire into the matter of Mr. McLeod's complaint was likewise bequeathed; and none but people of the peculiar stripe of Dr. Pope and the Colonist would hold that in saying so the TIMES was advising a course contrary to law. In the view of both the Superintendent and the organ, truth is a secondary matter when the schemes of Honest John are involved.

THE HUDSON BAY CO.

Anent the report of the Hudson Bay Company, recently published, a brief review of its history is admissible. Chartered in 1670, it received the widest privileges, and was invested with absolute proprietorship over a vast and undefined territory. Nominally its rights extended over all regions discovered or to be discovered within the entrance of Hudson Strait. It was not difficult to obtain a favorable interpretation of this grant by means of friendly influences. The sentence was taken as meaning all lands that drained into Hudson Bay or Hudson Strait; and in the zenith of its power the company ruled absolutely over what was practically coincident with British North America, between the Atlantic and the Pacific, the United States and the Arctic Ocean. Its voyageurs alone penetrated the snow-bound regions of the North, or made their way slowly across the vast stretches of territory now traversed by the Canadian Pacific Railway. The forts erected by the company were the sole emblems many an Indian tribe had of the power of the invading white men. Its traders taught the Indians that the rewards of the successful hunter were greater than those of the victorious warrior. A poetic mystery hung about the company that had conquered so vast solitudes.

For a time the company had to war with France, whose soldiers sought to destroy its forts, ruin its goods, and capture its vessels. It resisted the attacks of the French, as it did later those of its great rival, the Northwest Fur Company of Montreal. Save for a period of stubborn contest with the latter, it held what amounted to a monopoly of the fur trade in British North America until 1869.

The advance of the wave of immigration it could not compete with, however, and in 1869 it made formal cession to the British Government of whatever territorial claims it retained, receiving in return an indemnity of $1,500,000. It was to retain its forts, together with 50,000 acres of land and one-twentieth of the land lying between the fertile belt from the Red River to the Rocky Mountains. For many years the company derived an immense income from these lands; and even yet the land revenue "keeps the wolf from the door," though it too appears to be failing now. At the annual meeting of the stockholders in London recently, there was a disposition to accuse the management of extravagance. But this is not the cause of the falling off of the Hudson's Bay Company's revenues. The company has survived the conditions which produced it and by which it throve. It must now adapt itself to the condition of things or perish.

IN CHRISTIAN ENGLAND.

London Truth, quoting a "daily paper," informs us that there are shop girls at Islington who work 107 hours a week. In a week there are 168 hours, subtract 107 from 168 and we have 61. This is the number of hours the shop girls of Islington have for sleep and recreation, which gives them 8 and 5-7 hours per day. But we cannot figure this matter on the basis of seven days in the week. Shops are not kept open Sunday in God-fearing Christian England. The shop-girls, therefore, are required to put in 107 hours during six days. Now in six days there are 144 hours, and so it appears that during this period the girls have only 37 hours to themselves during six days, or, to particularize, six hours and ten minutes per day for eating and sleeping. What must we conclude from the situation? We cannot escape the conclusion that if Christ should happen to visit Islington, he would make it warmer for British shop-keepers than he did for the money changers in the temple. So far as humanity is concerned, the British shop-keeper has read the New Testament to very little purpose.

HAVE WHITE MEN A NATURAL RIGHT TO LAND?

TO THE EDITOR.—The communication from the Dominion Government which was made at the council on Wednesday night was the means of provoking a debate which should be of very great interest at this time. Every man is now convinced that British Columbia (and Victoria in particular) has taken a forward step in the march of progress. The eyes of the world are at present fixed upon this province, rich with the possibilities of future greatness. It has once in its history, been the Mecca of gold-seekers. Its rich and varied resources now offer a splendid field in which capital and labor may be profitably employed in the work of wealth production. There are men in this province who have made very good provision for themselves and families by appropriating the land which will be required by the coming generations who will find a home in this favored portion of the Dominion. Our mineral resources are now in the possession of private individuals. Our coal lands are owned and operated in the interests of men or corporations who are growing rich in wealth which they have not produced, while from some cause our agricultural lands do not furnish enough to feed the present population of the province. While the public domain has been sacrificed to private greed and the rights of our Indian population have been carefully guarded, it is a fact that white men who have nothing but their labor to offer in the work of the development of this country's resources cannot obtain land upon which to live unless they mortgage the labor of the future, or pay to some private individual the proceeds of labor performed in the past. The Indian has some natural rights which every province in confederation is bound to respect. An Act was passed by the British Columbia Legislature in 1875 respecting crown lands, and was disallowed by the Governor-General in Council because it claimed the right to deal with Indian lands, when by the treaty of capitulation of 1760 and the king's proclamation of 1763, and by Imperial legislation of later times, the sole right to acquire Indian territorial rights is vested in the Crown itself, "and is exercisable only by the Governor-General or Commander-in-Chief in the Queen's possessions in North America." It would be interesting at this stage to know why the Government has made no provision for the protection of the hosts of white men who will eventually fill this portion of Her Majesty's dominions against the land-grabbing policy. Have white people no natural rights which our governments are bound to respect? If not, when and how did they forfeit the rights which every man must have, and which in nature are guaranteed to him by the fact that he requires land to live upon? It is well to know that we have men in the community who are ready to defend the rights of the aborigine, but where is the man who will have the courage to face the opposition and hatred of organized selfishness by applying the same doctrine to all men, irrespective of race, color or creed?

STUDENT.

DENIAL.

TO THE EDITOR:—Having been informed that it was said that I was concerned with Mr. Pearse in getting up the recent memorial to the Lieut. Governor, urging an inquiry into the transactions and accounts of the corporation, I beg leave to state that I had nothing whatever to do with the matter in any way.

A. DE COSMOS.

April 22, 1891.

After diphtheria, scarlet fever, pneumonia, or any other severe illness, there is no better tonic than Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—U. S. Gov't Report, Aug. 17, 1889.

Royal Baking Powder
ABSOLUTELY PURE

"JALL A MESSENGER."

The System to be Introduced by the New District Telegraph Co.

The British Columbia District Telegraph Company will commence in a few days the work of fitting up its offices in Victoria and expects to be ready for business by the end of September. The citizens will then be provided with a service which will prove a great convenience. It is to be presumed that most persons are acquainted with the details of such a service as this company proposes to organize, but it may be stated that a corps of messenger boys will be at the call of any person who may require them. They will be dressed in uniform and, with a badge that will readily lead to the identification of any individual boy. There will be two distinct classes of these messengers. One class—the telegraph messengers—will be occupied solely upon the business of the company and will be occupied in delivering messages and, in certain cases, in going for dispatches that the senders may require to send away. The other class—the "general utility" boys, as they may be called—will be available for errands of every description, for account of any person who may wish to employ them and in any part of the city.

The company will follow the plan of operations which has been carried on for many years in the large cities in the east, where the service has become so indispensable and so intimately connected with the affairs of every day business that any interruption of it would cause the greatest inconvenience to thousands of persons. The company will place in business houses or private residences call bells, and will use only the best and most approved electrical instruments. The wires will be rubber insulated, so that all chances of interruption by the lines coming in contact with telegraph, telephone or other non-insulated wires, will be obviated.

In the conduct of the business the methods adopted by the largest eastern companies will be followed. When the boys come on duty they take their places regularly and are sent out in rotation, each one taking his turn and reporting again for duty as he returns to the office. When a call comes to the office, the boy whose turn it is to answer it, is given a sheet of paper with the time of the call noted on it, and places for the signature of the patron and time of return, etc. These sheets have a number corresponding with the number of the boy. The quicker a boy returns to the office, the sooner his turn comes round again, and as his promotion and increase of pay depend upon his activity, there is a constant incentive to be prompt and vigilant in their duties. The boys will be divided into day and night forces, the latter relieving the former at 6 p.m. The work at night is, of course, lighter than in the day, and there is more leisure, which leads many boys to prefer it. The pay of the boys will range from $12 to $20 per month, sometimes more, and the company, in its own interest, takes every opportunity to promote a meritorious lad. Their ages will be from 12 to 14 years, and as they get older efforts will be made to secure them good and permanent positions in stores or mercantile offices, etc. The company being responsible for the due performance of their duties, the boys are often entrusted with considerable responsibilities in the way of collecting money, paying money to a bank or cashing cheques, and the company's patrons frequently desire that some particular lad, whom they have regularly employed, should be sent to them when they call. In the case of some large corporations in New York and elsewhere, particular boys are detailed to be at their office all day and practically become a part of their staff, often leading to the securing of a good and permanent position. The boys are provided with uniforms by the company, a small sum being deducted monthly from their wages until the cost of the uniforms is paid. Each Saturday they are required to pass an inspection and are expected to keep themselves at all times neat and clean.

One of the features of the Company's business will be the furnishing a box to persons or corporations employing a night watchman, by which the watchman is required to ring the box every 30 minutes on his round. A record of the calls is kept at the office and a report furnished every morning to his employer. If at any time a call is missed, after waiting a reasonable time, the office notifies the police, so that in case of burglars or any accident the watchman would receive timely assistance. In the case of a householder hearing thieves in his house, he can notify the police without any noise.

A messenger service, well conducted, soon becomes a necessity and fills many wants which those who have never been accustomed to its convenience cannot appreciate. The local Company appears to be determined to commence its operations in the most efficient manner, and the results will be a great convenience to the public while yielding satisfactory returns to the Company.

You can by this system turn in the fire alarm direct from your place of business or residence and have the fire department at your door before you could run to the nearest fire alarm box and turn in the alarm, and if the fire was yet concealed you would have to wait at the alarm box to show them where to go, whereas if you turned in the alarm on this system you could go to work saving what you could, and in the meantime the fire department would know the exact spot to go. This protection alone is worth many times the price charged for putting it in private residences.

Stick to the Right.

Right actions spring from right principles. In cases of diarrhœa, dysentery, cramps, colic, summer complaint, cholera morbus, etc., the right remedy is Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry—a infallible cure—made on the principle that nature's remedies are best. Never travel without it.

THE NANAIMO GAS WORKS.

Improvements to be Made in the Gas Lighting of the Coal City.

Mr. Thomas, the manager of the Nanaimo Gas Works, was in the city a day or so ago. He has completed all arrangements for the enlargement of the buildings and extra machinery it is intended to put in this summer. The main retort building is to be enlarged to the size of 25 by 37, in which will be placed 15 retorts and a boiler, thus giving the retort house double the capacity for the output it has at present. The boiler to be placed in this building is for the purpose of operating an engine connected with the exhauster in another department of the works. There will be another building erected, called the purifying house, 20 by 25, double the capacity of the present room, in which new purifiers are to be placed. The old purifying room will be occupied by the engine and exhauster. Thus every department will be separated, so to speak, but conveniently complete. These necessary changes have been deemed advisable on account of the increased demand for gas during the last winter.

Owing to the fact that the city lamps consumed so much during the winter months, the management did not deem it desirable to put on any more private consumers, as they did not wish to overtax the works. Now it is considered necessary to prepare for next season so that public and private lighting may be gone on with.

When the work is completed this summer, Mr. Thomas considers the works will be the most convenient and complete in the province.

Owing to the fact of being near the mines, he is confident that the works will be second to none as regards the result to the stockholders. The addition of the exhauster alone will turn 25 per cent. more gas out of the coal than formerly, making a great gain in the output.

BRIEF LOCALS.

One Day's Doings in City and Province Briefly Related.

The Western Hotel Re-opens on Saturday, 22nd inst. Give "Me" a call. *

Major Dupont gave a very enjoyable garden party last evening.

Simpson's bon ton tailoring parlors, 86 Government street. Dress suits a specialty.

Another lodge, "Fernwood," of the C.O.O.F., was instituted last evening.

People say the Dominion Hotel is the place for a 25 cent meal. Twenty-one meal tickets for $4.50.

M. Humber has been given the contract for the Doane block, Douglas street. Price $12,000.

Folding camp chairs, lawn settees hammocks, lunch baskets in great variety at Weiler Bros.

Billy Waters, who was mixed up in a stabbing affray at the Standard some weeks ago, is in town again.

Mr. Roper, of James street, had his leg broken yesterday by falling from the roof of a house in James Bay.

If you want your horse, harness, buggy or phaeton to have special care, send them to the Club stable, telephone 495. *

Yesterday a lady tourist, while passing a verandah post on which the carcass of a sheep was hung, rubbed against the projecting legs and spoiled a valuable jacket.

Do not fail to see some of those modern cottages that Young & Bartlett, the land and building brokers have just put on the market.

The following new postoffices were established in British Columbia on Aug. 1: French Creek, Vancouver district; Revelstoke station, Yale district; Short Reed, Westminster district.

To exchange houses for vacant lots, at No. 9, Trounce avenue, Young, Bartlett & Co. Will build houses after your own plans on the instalment plan.

The case of Gray vs. McCallum was again before the court to day. Captain McCallum being under cross examination all day. It will probably be two or three days more before the end is reached.

Hool Sam lay dead, unembalmed, for 11 days, and by the day of the funeral was not a very desirable object, particularly to the sense of smell. The health authorities say a similar occurrence will never take place again.

MACHINERY FOR SALE.

THE CANADA
Machinery and Supply Co.
BRANTFORD, ONT.
Engineers, Boiler-Makers and Machinists.
Dealers in New and Second-hand
MACHINERY AND MILL SUPPLIES.
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase land on the seashore on San Mateo Bay, Alberni District, commencing at a post on west corner, thence south 40 chains, thence east 120 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence west to the seashore.
GEORGE WALKER.
Victoria, July 8, 1891. jy16 2m

NOTICE.

I WILL NOT BE RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY debts contracted by my wife or any other person on her behalf.
JOHN J. RUSSELL,
Strawberry Vale Farm.
Victoria Dec. 11, 1890. de12-3

THE CITY AND DISTRICT

For Fancy Creamery Butter,

Choice Eastern bacon and hams, away up teas and coffees, go to Wm. Eckart, 100 Yates street.

No More Dunning at Oak Bay.

Under the new management of Mr. J. R. Berrie the pavilion will be run in a strictly first-class manner. The public are cordially invited. tf

Perfumes.

Elegant line of perfumes just arrived at C. H. Bowes & Co., prescription pharmacists, corner Store and Johnson streets. Telephone No. 425. Electric night bell.

Foresters' Excursion.

A large number of American Foresters with their families will attend the Firemen's tournament. Delegates from Oregon and Washington are in the city making arrangements for an excursion.

The Rich Whitewater Claim.

Messrs. Lowenberg, Harris & Co. are shipping to San Francisco the second consignment of gold from the Whitewater claim, Kootenay. It is composed of two large bars, the combined value of which is $950. And Mr. D. R. Harris says the end is by no means yet, for the claim promises still richer developments.

The Crofter Commissioners.

Cal. Engledue and Mayor Clarke, the crofter commissioners, have been busy since their arrival in interviewing the authorities and obtaining information bearing on the object of their visit to this Province. It is understood that the Government steamer Sir James Douglas, will take them for a coast cruise about the middle of next week.

The I.O.O.F. Excursion.

There were close upon 900 passengers on board the steamer Olympian when she left her dock at 7 o'clock this morning with the I.O.O.F. excursion. The weather was perfect, hardly a breeze to disturb the waters of the Straits. Last evening 100 extra tickets were issued for the trip but they quickly disappeared and this morning not a ticket was to be had. The day will be spent in seeing the sights in and around Seattle.

A Naval Garden Party.

Major and Mrs. Dupont entertained about 400 guests at a garden party of a naval character, last evening. Admiral Hotham and the officers of the fleet were among the guests. The garden presented a scene of enchanting splendor with the electric lights and colored lamps, shimmering in the branches of the tall oak trees, whose boughs even were studded with electric stars. The guests heartily thanked their host and hostess for the hospitality extended to them.

South Bound.

The following passengers went south to-day by the steamship City of Puebla: W. C. Ames, R. Jaynes, P. Zayarra, W. J. Macauley, Miss A. Wartz, A. C. Henry and wife, Mrs. Gordon, Major Kirchhoffer, Miss Robson, Mrs. Leighton, Mrs. Bickford, Mrs. Saunders, Lewis Schaft and wife, Miss Agnes Lyons, E. W. Parr and wife, J. E. Fleming and wife. She took down with her a large number of hides and a quantity of general merchandise.

Figures Wont Lie.

And this is the way it figures, paying for a home without money, providing you are paying $25 a month rent. In five years you would pay $1500 that you would never get back, not even interest. And the natural advance in five years on your property ought to be about $500, total $2000. So if you should purchase one of those beautiful $2000 cottages of YOUNG & BARTLETT, No. 9 Trounce Avenue, on the installment plan, in five years you will virtually have paid for your home without money.

Police Court Notes.

John Winger, for being drunk, was fined $5. Lucy Blackmore, an Indian woman, paid $5 and $1 costs this morning for being found drunk.

Carter v. Spring—In this case defendant asked for an adjournment until Monday. Mr. Taylor, for prosecution, asked for permission to amend the information. The permission to withdraw the information and lay a new one was granted; the defendant was also given permission to withdraw his plea. The case was adjourned till Monday.

St. Paul's Presbyterian Church.

When finished, in the course of a week or two, from its commanding situation and neat design the new St. Paul's Presbyterian church, Victoria West, will present a very handsome appearance. The services in connection with its opening for public worship are expected to take place on Sabbath 20th Sept., and to be conducted by a prominent minister of the church from the East. The Ladies' Aid Society also expect to hold their annual sale of work on the Tuesday following, 22nd Sept. More particular notice of both events will appear in due time.

From Behring Sea.

The United States steamer Albatross with the American Behring Sea Commissioners on board, was in Nanaimo yesterday. They report that their six weeks trip in the sea has been uneventful; with, exception of course of the work of the commissioners. They are unable to enlighten the curious as to what is going to be done and all they can do is send in their report, which they will do. The British commissioners have also completed their labors and are expected down shortly. Mr. Ivan Petroff, the American census enumerator, who came down on the Albatross, says the seals are increasing in number.

The Calgary & Edmonton.

Mr. G. A. Knowles, C. E., of Montreal, who has just returned from an extensive trip through the upper country and Alberta, says that indications point to the extension of the Calgary & Edmonton Railway to the Pacific coast. He says it is generally supposed that Port Simpson is the point this road is heading for, but he does not see why Victoria should not be the terminus of this line. He thinks that if the million dollar bonus asked by the projected Peace Crescent Railway were offered to the C. & E. they might reconsider their terminal point. Mr. Knowles is very much taken with Victoria and thinks the Province of British Columbia has a grand future before it. He leaves in a few days for Port Simpson, where he will remain for a few months.

Cheap Fruits and Vegetables.

Apples, tomatoes pears, plums, muscat grapes, peaches, onions, cucumbers. R. H. Jamieson, 33 Fort street.

Oriental Hotel, Vancouver.

Passengers going east can have lunch free 'bus to and from hotel, and use of parlors six hours, for 50 cents. jy31-3m

Arrived O. K.

A fine stock of Razor strops; a complete line of shaving materials, &c. Pocket Cutlery, Scissors, Table Cutlery direct from Sheffield, at Fox's, 78 Government street. Call and examine. *

A Further Remand.

Chin-ha-mot, the Indian charged with the murder of Isaac Cloake, came up in the Provincial court this morning, but as Mr. Johnson, S.M., before whom the case is being heard, was out of the city, the prisoner had to be remanded for another eight days.

Last Night's Fire.

The night watchman at the Albion Iron Works sent in a fire alarm at 11 o'clock last night from box 15. A drunken Indian woman upset a coal oil lamp in a building on Store street, and set fire to the room. The firemen used one of the Holloway chemical extinguishers and quickly suppressed the blaze. The loss amounts to about ten dollars.

The Fort Street Route

Mr. Gore, surveyor for the Street Car Company, will commence the work of surveying the Driving Park extension of the line on Monday morning. It is not the intention of the company, however, to turn a sod until the land has been properly deeded over, as Mr. Higgins does not wish to have a repetition of the Esquimalt experience. Should the ground not be given over for the complete right of way, the road proper will be built upon.

Port Simpson.

The demand for Port Simpson property still continues; 308 lots have already been disposed of and yesterday's sales amounted to $4,700. The owners will only sell every alternate block, and only a few water front lots remain unsold. This property is being purchased by some of the shrewdest business men in the province, and offers the same opportunity to the investor that Vancouver did eight years ago. Call on G. A. Cooper & Co., Trounce Avenue, and see maps and plans. Open evenings.

Rehearsal of the "Haymakers" Cantata.

The choir of the First Presbyterian Church held a full rehearsal of this charming cantata last night, and with gratifying results. The principals are singing in splendid voice, and the chorus is held well in hand by the conductor—no hitches, everything seems to go pleasantly and smoothly, and a success musically is assured. In addition to the cantata, a splendid programme of songs, etc., will be presented. A glance at the names of the ladies and gentlemen who have consented to assist will be a sufficient guarantee that the second part of the evening's entertainment will be of a high order. The final rehearsal will be held on Tuesday evening.

Another Sealer Arrives.

The sealing schooner W. P. Sayward, Capt. Ferey, arrived at the outer wharf about 5 o'clock this morning. She had on board 801 seal skins, captured in Behring Sea. This brings her catch for the season up to 1726 skins. The Capt. says the seals are more plentiful in the sea this season than for years. Capt. Ferey left Behring Sea on Aug. 1st, making the trip to Barclay sound in 17 days, where she lay four days. He ran in there to land the sealers. The Sayward was not warned out of Behring Sea, but her sealers, hearing the news of the seizures became frightened and refused to work, so Capt. Ferey was compelled to return. Another sealer left the sea at the same time as the Sayward. Capt. Ferey did not speak her, and was not sure what boat it was but thought it was either the Annie C. Moore or the Sapphire. There is a sealer lying in the Straits now, waiting for wind. The Emma went to the outer wharf and brought the Sayward in this morning.

Church Notices.

Rev. J. Hansen of Port Townsend, German Lutheran pastor, will preach in Harmony hall, View street, on Sunday at 2 p.m. Sunday school at 10 a.m.

Unitarian Society—Sunday services at the Temperance Hall, Pandora street: Morning, 11 a.m., evening, 7 p.m.

CHURCH OF ENGLAND NOTES.

The following are the preachers in the city churches to-morrow:

Christ Church Cathedral—Morning, the Lord Bishop; evening, the Ven. Archdeacon Scriven.

St. James—Morning, the Ven. Archdeacon Scriven; evening, the Rev. A. Beanlands.

St. John's—Morning and evening, the Rev. Percival Jenns.

St. Barnabas—Morning and evening, the Rev. Geo. W. Taylor.

St. Saviour's—Morning and evening, the Rev. W. D. Barber.

CITY DISTRICT SERVICES.

St. Luke's, Cedar Hill—Morning Mr. W. H. P. Arden; evening, the Rev. M. C. Browne.

St. Paul's, Esquimalt—Morning and evening, the Rev. S. C. Scholefield.

St. Michael's, Lake—Afternoon, Mr. W. H. P. Arden.

Tolmie—Morning, the Rev. M. C. Browne

Cadboro Bay—Evening, at 7.30, Mr. W. H. P. Arden.

Indian Reserve—Afternoon, at 3, the Rev. W. D. Barber.

Provincial Jail—Morning, at 9.30, the Rev. M. C. Browne.

PLATFORM SERVICE.

There will be a Platform Service for men at the rooms of the Young Men's Christian Association to-morrow afternoon at 4 o'clock. The service will be entirely under the direction of young men, and all are welcome.

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STRUCK BY THE TRAIN.

William Tell While Asleep on the Track is Seriously Injured.

A man named Wm. Tell was seriously injured to-day on the railroad near Somenos and was brought in by No. 1 train at noon. It is said Tell must have been asleep. The train was just coming into Somenos around a very sharp curve, when the engineer suddenly noticed a man lying alongside the track about a foot and a half from the rail. The brakes were immediately put on, but it was too late, for the man was struck by the engine. Tell was partially covered by large ferns, growing along the road, and it was impossible to see him until quite close up. Dr. Watson of Duncan's station examined the wounded man there, but thought it best to send him on to Victoria to the Jubilee Hospital. Tell has a very bad scalp wound about four inches long and very deep; but it is thought the more serious injury is to his back, which was terribly bruised. Officers Redgrave and Taylor met the train at the station and had the injured man taken to the hospital immediately.

TROUBLE ON THE PISAGUA

A Long Voyage Full of Trouble for the Captain and Crew.

The troubles that the officers and crew of the bark Pisagua which arrived here last evening have had to put up with during the last four months would have been enough to drive the average man to desperation. For a long while the bark was knocking around different Chilian ports, hunting for a cargo but without success, until about three months ago when she was chartered to load lumber at Moodyville for South American ports. Along with the good luck of getting something to do came bad luck of the worst kind. Provisions were scarce, and expensive so that it was a long while before enough stores could be obtained to make the trip. Flour and potatoes were selling at $30 per 150 pounds and beef was almost too high to be looked at. Capt. Benveneto of the Pisagua had a big crew and they had to be fed at any cost during the passage, so provisions were laid in at a big cost. Two bullocks were killed and salted and the Pisagua started on what proved to be an eventful voyage.

The crew was a mixed one, and but one, the cook, could speak Italian. The captain can speak nothing else fluently, and it is supposed that that is where the principal trouble arose. They had not been to sea long when the meat went bad, and the crew became dissatisfied. To make matters worse the potatoes gave out, so that for some time past the crew have had to live on bread.

Among the crew was Julius Hansen, a stowaway. He asked the mate for a piece of canvas, a request that was granted. Then the captain accused the mate of stealing the canvas, and this morning had him arrested, along with the stowaway, by Sergt. Langley of the Provincial police. About the same time that the trouble occurred over the canvas, the captain had Frank Lanner, an able seaman, put in irons on a charge of stealing. Lanner was also arrested this morning and lodged in the cells under the courthouse. The three men will come up in the Provincial court on Monday, when their cases will be heard.

As the captain cannot speak a word of English it was difficult to get any information from him, but it appears that he suspected trouble was brewing and put Lanner in irons to prevent it. The men say that he had no cause to feel uneasy. During the trip, however, they refused to do their duty once, but turned to again before any serious trouble occurred.

When the captain arrived at Cape Flattery he thought his troubles had ended but they were not. He was first picked up by the American tug Pioneer, which towed him to near Race Rocks and let him go. She drifted right out to sea until picked up by the tug Collis and was brought into the roads last evening. The trip occupied nearly three months.

Dr. Henson's Lecture on Fools.

It was not a very encouraging audience (numerically speaking) that greeted Dr. Henson in the Calvary Baptist church last evening. Shortly after 8 o'clock Rev. M. L. Rugg in a few remarks introduced the Reverend lecturer. He said he had come to the conclusion that the doctor was not as well known in Victoria as he had anticipated, or else he felt certain there would not have been so many vacant seats. Dr. Henson then took the platform and for an hour and a half kept his audience thoroughly interested, and a great part of the time convulsed with laughter. He spoke of fools of all kinds and degrees. He said that the subject of his lecture was not of his own choosing, that he had other lectures he thought better, and would have preferred to give before an audience with whom he was so little acquainted. However, the lecture had been chosen by those who were residents here, and were supposed to be better acquainted with the needs of Victoria—present company, of course, always excepted. He first spoke of speculative fools, and gave some interesting sketches of the "Mississipi Bubble," the tulip craze of Holland, and the coal oil craze of the states. Then their are people who are anxious to follow any new sects or denominations, calling themselves religious; among other sects he spoke of Spiritualism, where some female medium (crank) pretended to call the spirits of departed friends; and frightened poor timid, ignorant people by having pine tables sent spinning around the room, for the edification of a few half crazed, gullible imbeciles who drink it in as a fish does water. Then he spoke of the rich fool who does not know how to enjoy his wealth. Such are the the miser, the man who has been brought up in the dirtiest poverty, who has never been accustomed to fine ways, and when by some lucky chance he becomes suddenly rich, imagines himself a real patrician; the hard working rich man's son, who looks down on anyone who has to work. There were also learned fools who know a great deal about everything, but are so unpractical that they cannot apply their knowledge to any good. The last fools spoken of were the drunkard and the atheist, the latter of whom he spoke of as the most consummate fool in existence. All through the lecture was interspersed with pathos and humor. The illustrations and anecdotes were striking and realistic.

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FIREMEN'S TOURNAMENT.

Letter From the Secretary of the Northwestern Association.

Office of the Secretary of the Northwestern Firemen's Association:

ALBANY, Or., Aug. 20, 1891.

Chief Deasy:

DEAR SIR:—Your favor of the 12th inst. received. In reply let me say that everything is progressing as satisfactorily as could possibly be desired. The success of your finance committee in raising the prize money for the tournament is certainly to be commended. Ten teams have written us signifying their intentions of being present, and fully as many more have written for rules and made enquiries regarding the races. This is far ahead of any previous record at this early date. The success of the meetings and tournament is now an assured fact and promise to be, as they will, the largest attended and most successful of any in the history of the association. Three teams from Oregon have given notification of their going and they will be present with a full quota of delegates and plenty of webfoot good will. Quite a number of friends will accompany them and all will go to remain the entire week in your city. I am crowding matters along as rapidly as possible, writing from five to ten letters a day. Write me in regard to the hydrant, whether in running from west to east, they couple on north or south side of the street, and how many inches from the ground to the connection.

Yours very respectfully,
C. W. WATTS, Sec'y.

PERSONAL.

Movements of Well Known People in Various Directions.

W. J. Macaulay left for San Francisco this morning.

F. M. Yorke returned this morning from San Francisco.

S. M. Robins and J. E. R. Taggart, of Nanaimo, are in the city.

W. Christie, of the C.P.R. Telegraph office, is rapidly recovering his health at Banff.

R. S. Day and Mrs. Day will return from a holiday trip through Eastern Oregon Monday.

Mrs. Bickford and Mrs. Saunders were passengers for San Francisco by the City of Puebla this morning.

H. S. Wilson, Miss K. C. Phelps, Mrs. E. R. Horton and Mrs. S. A. Floyd compose a party of Bostonians who are at the Driard.

Mrs. J. Eckersley and family leave to-morrow evening via the N. P. R. for Falls River, Mass., where Mrs. Eckersley's parents reside.

A. C. Henry, general purchasing agent of the C.P.R., Montreal, with Mrs. Henry, were passengers to San Francisco this morning.

Miss A. Lyons, of San Francisco, who has been spending the past four months with Miss K. Burns, left for home this morning by the City of Puebla.

A. Humber left this morning by the steamer Yosemite and C.P.R. for Philadelphia to enter the dental college of that city. He has the best wishes of many friends for a successful term.

Mrs. A. Stewart and Miss T. Stewart, mother and sister of J. H. Stewart, foreman in M. Humber's brickyard, have arrived in the city from Waterbury, Conn. They will reside here permanently.

Sarah Marshall.

King St., Kingston, says: "I was afflicted with chronic rheumatism for years and used numerous medicines without success, but by the use of 6 bottles of Burdock Blood Bitters I was entirely cured."

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EDGAR'S WANDERINGS

THE SOUTH SEASIDE RESORTS OF ENGLAND.

Southport, Lancashire, the Great North of England Watering Place—Traces of Nathaniel Hawthorne—A Hundred Thousand Miners Wallow in Southport's Golden Sands.

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SOUTHPORT, England, Aug. 8.—The western coast of England all the way north from the city of Liverpool to the Solway firth, which on the west marks the boundary between England and Scotland, faces an almost silent arm of the Irish sea. The power of the tides in the North channel and St. George's channel is broken by the rugged shores of the Isle of Man, and with the exception of the tides of Liverpool on the extreme south, and in the Solway firth at the extreme north of this region, the waves of these seas reach the shore almost unawares in murmurous ripples or dream-ful calm.

Curiously, too, and as if notably illustrative of the seeming truth that nature ever fashions its forces to a nicety of fitting and balance, the entire shore line for all this distance—a shore line accounting for indentations of nearly 200 miles—is nowhere fifty feet above the sea level. The sea is ever asleep beside it.

This is the fascinative coast. It is a coast of endless and measureless sand. Behind its wide reaches of reclaimed land, with dykes of sod and whitewashed peasants' huts, stretch far away to many towns clanging night and day with machinery, dense with human strivers, stifling with mist and smoke. To the east a horizon line of chimney stacks. Then, nearer the ocean, a valley of truck farms. Then the shore line, a mass of low, drear sand dunes, hiding a hundred sunny villages, and towns—every one a nest of homes for those who strive in the inland cities, or the holiday place for those millions who change the clatter of the mine drill and the spindle for the song of the sea but one bright day in all the scourging year.

Southport is chief of all the English west coast resorts. It is in fact the great north of England watering place. Scarborough, on the east coast, directly opposite, drawing from the Yorkshire towns for visitors, has greater antiquity, some interesting history, and is altogether quaint and beautiful; but being only a summer watering place it cannot vie with Southport. New Brighton, Liverpool's Coney island, at the mouth of the Mersey, is gayer and more rollicking. Llandudno, the famous north of Wales resort, is grandly beautiful. All the bright places, like Ilfracombe, Sidford and sweet Clovelly, along the Devonshire coast, have superior charms in scenery and in the witching wildness of cliff hung coast.

Southport excels in the tenderness of its sun, the soft bronze of its coast and the transcendent splendor of its endless golden south. Besides, there are four or five million people so near it—in Liverpool, Chester, Manchester, Wigan, Preston, Burnley, Leeds, Bradford and scores more of crowded manufacturing cities—that they can get to Southport and home again the same day for a railway fare of from two to four shillings each. And about all of them do that very thing whenever the money can be spared.

Southport can boast of no remote antiquity, though it forms part of the ancient parish of North Meols, in the Hundreds of West Derby. It is hardly a century old. Its founder was a Churchtown innkeeper, one William Sutton, "rosy nosed Bill," as he was called in the old days because his own good cheer most prominently spoke its merits in his hearty old face. He was also called the "Old Duke" because of his lordly ways. At one end of the present splendid Lord street he built a huge hostelry among the sand hills. This was nicknamed "The Folly" by those who were not so farseeing as William.

It soon happened that customers were attracted to his inn by his famous grilled fish and good cheer, just as epicures will go half the length of our land for those glorious "planked shad," that can only be got as the shad was designed to be cooked at a certain inn at Gloucester on the Delaware, hard by staid old Philadelphia. A little hamlet of cottages soon sprang up around "The Duke's Folly." Its owner was also the best fiddler in all the country side, and one night when some roystering Bluemary guests from Liverpool had been reveling "lip and heel," in a convivial moment over a bottle of rare old port his house was named "South Port." And Southport the place, now of 50,000 souls, will ever remain.

The cottages first built here were of the whitewashed and thatched order among the sand hills, and with their beds of shrubs and flowers gave an agreeable color to the scene. There was an assemblage of mimic mountains, with a long straggling street, and beyond a vast expanse of level country. The salubrity of the air, the delights of the sands and the breezes from the sea soon drew residents to the quaint little spot, and handsome dwellings were erected. By 1830 Southport had become a place of fashion and favorite resort, the sands being in the summer time a place of great gayety. Visitors then arrived by coach and by canal packets, and holiday makers came by carts or on foot with their bundles and hampers on their backs and shoulders.

Along in the fifties we hear of Hawthorne, then our consul at Liverpool, and his friend Henry Bright making the place, its beach and the forestretching dunes their frequent haunts both for dreamful idling and for literary work. Indeed, after much inquiry of the old, old folk of Southport I am persuaded that the portion of "Transformation" written in England and necessary for the securing by Hawthorne of his English copyright on that work, was composed in the quiet retreats of the then little old town here.

Perhaps it is largely a fanciful association of person and place, but somehow with Hawthorne in one's mind the lovely, leafy city, as it is today, takes on the garb of our own delicious Salem. The trim, pretty yards recall it. The long, elm shaded avenues, with a glint and shimmer of the sea through their narrowing vistas, bring it lovingly to the memory. The wide, clean, sunshine dappled yards, backed by prim, precise houses, hint of it. Hundreds of "hipped" roofs, quaint gables and ivy mantled dormers reproduce its sweet old nooks. The half houses, half shops where modern affairs and holiday makers' relentless needs have conjured perky shops in the fronts of stately mansions, gay as Puritanicy children in the laps of nuns or matrons of the old regime, are like the bright settings peering out of many of the grim old house fronts of Salem.

And one loves to trace the likeness further—in the hush of the by streets, where even sunshiny birds trill summer time songs fearlessly; in the old, old folk who saunter about the town as though they had naught on their fellows save the mending of conduits, because of fancied slights, late meals or overdone grills; in the flavor and savor of olden seaside ways and memories, not from rotting hulks and wharves as at Salem, but in the rich old sea captains who swagger here, when their gout and rheumatics will let them, and in the wide eyed young and fearsome life that comes from the outer world to feel its passive calm, seeking as its dowagers and dreamfulness, as a cathedral pageant might be viewed, going away again all the better for the ruminative reverence and rest.

The curious thing about the place to an American loiterer is the reversal of seasons here. To see the vast throngs at Southport during June, July and August, the natural conclusion is that these months comprise the season. On the contrary, the genuine season is during the remaining nine months. The rich live here during that time in their own homes. They are usually invalids, or families some members of which require the soft and health giving air that is said to prevail during the winter months.

When the summer comes the real residents leave for the Continental spas or for the Highland lochs and glens of Scotland. Then a population of at least 20,000 is entirely changed. Liverpool or Manchester shopkeepers or brokers, county curates on pinched allowances, and managing clerks with hollow eyes and chests "let" the houses deserted by the quality, and gain enough life and vigor for the rest of the year's struggle. These with the "trippers" and excursionists make up the population and crowds in summer.

Seemingly Southport, in winsome rather than striking. It would be ranked beautiful in itself were there no added charm of shore or sea. Its long, cool streets reaching back countryward are beautiful. Crossing these and running parallel with the shore, but shut away from it by a single great range of seaview baths, pavilions and hotels, is one of the finest avenues in Europe. It recalls Princess street, Edinburgh, the Paris boulevards and the Prado of Havana. This is the great avenue of shops and torrents of equestrian display, a sort of Rotten Row for brilliant equipages, and the grand promenade for beautiful and beautifully dressed women. With all its splendor it has a hushed and quiet air. Indeed this dreamful pensiveness is characteristic of the entire place. It is not languor. It is the sea air's tender bidding to rest. Something like it comes with the soft breezes in Florida, in the Bahamas, and with those witching, narcotic breaths that pulse and throb in Cuba and the Azores.

Exclusive of its seashore delights the place is provided with so great a number of genuine attractions that the dearth of these in our own watering places becomes a humiliating reflection. On land reclaimed from sand there has been made one of the most exquisite parks in England. Its winter gardens, open all the year round and affording various forms of entertainment and recreation, cost over a half million dollars. A conservatory and aquarium, among the finest in Britain, are also here. Its Kew gardens are only second to Royal Kew in London. Its free public library and art gallery would honor any city. The Victoria baths cost nearly a quarter million dollars, and its botanic gardens and museum are alone worth a day's visit. It would almost seem that in this extraordinary provision for recreative and educative diversion lies a suggestion of value to our own managers of great resorts. There are variety and diversity in it. It minimizes the loafing tendency in huge crowds which begets rowdyism. It pays because it attracts the same people again and again.

The city faces the sea to the west. For three or four miles along its front runs the Marine Esplanade. The great hotels, the most imposing private residences, the grand baths and pavilions, extend to the north and south along this, forming an almost unbroken facade of great beauty and interest. In front of all this, the sands and the sea; the sands an ample playground for millions, not thousands, of visitors; the sea a dream of majestic sweetness and repose. From a central street a pier has been built across the sands, which are covered by spring tides and often left like polished gold by other high tides, to the sea channel. This is nearly a mile in length and one of the longest in England. It provides a wide promenade all this distance, and a cable passenger railway runs nearly to its sea end. Here the pier is broadened to perhaps an acre in area, and there are refreshment rooms, music pavilions and room for dancing. Seats are everywhere, and the pier can comfortably accommodate 50,000 loungers and pedestrians, while from the sea channel beneath it, excursions are made to as far north as Barrow, as far west as the Isle of Man, and as far south as Llandudno, in Wales.

To the right and left of the great pier is always to be seen the real holiday activity of Southport. The sands, or foreshore, as they are called here, are fully three-fourths of a mile broad. One could follow them, along this or greater breadth, for twenty miles to the south, and to the north all along the Lancashire coast and around Morecambe bay on the north, a distance of more than 100 miles. I have never elsewhere seen so noble a reach of beach. It is pure sand, with no "shingle" and scarcely a pebble within it. To the left is a marine park within the sands, a salt water lake within this and all the grotesque shows inseparable from a great popular resort grouped beyond in a manner permitting the closest police surveillance. To the right there is little but the sand and the sea. It is the playground of big and little children, and gloriously the thousands enjoy it. A stranded brig, sitting bolt upright in the sand, adds zest to the picture. A fleet of sandboats—curious, wide tired wagons propelled by sails—course over this level plain. At the shore edge beyond are rows of ragged bathing vans, like an emigrant train gone into encampment. Donkeys, Salvationists and vagrant musicians are everywhere; but not a single beggar is allowed in all the parish precincts.

For myself I love best to come to Southport when the great interior hives of industry belch forth their thousands for a day's outing here, or the Lancashire and Cheshire miners come down stronger in numbers than any one of our single armies during the late civil war. That may seem like exaggeration. Only a few days ago I was one of just such a crowd here at Southport. Not only did 70,000 miners leave the black coal pits voiceless behind them, but many of their families came. The great wheels at the pit mouths were still, and all the "pit brow lasses," with some of my own good friends among them, came also. More than 100,000 of these sturdy folk were here—nearly as many souls as are housed in Rochester or Louisville—and all in one day. It is at such times that one may know, if he will use his eyes, how precious a thing is the glint of the waves, the cool touch of the golden sands, the whispered lullaby and mysteries of the sea, and all the beneficence of God's blessed sunlight kissing through life giving airs the pallor from out these toil marred faces, to unused, eager eyes and haunted, hungry hearts.

EDGAR L. WAKEMAN.

A WORKING WOLF.

It Does the Churning for a Farmer's Family.

The Strange Manner in Which the Animal Was Reared and Taught to Perform His Labors on the Farm.

Any one who may visit Richard Cunningham's farm, which lies pretty well up in the Blue mountains in the northeastern part of this county, says a Pittsburgh paper, will see a sight the like of which was probably never seen anywhere in this country before.

It is an immense black wolf—one of the last of its race in this State—with eyes that glare fiercely at all who come near him, with the exception of Farmer Cunningham himself, and accompanying his glare with savage growls, and yet meekly treading the monotonous round of a churning machine, like some household dog or old ewe sheep. This performance of a menial service by the wolf, singular as it is, is by no means the strangest thing about him. He has a history.

Last spring, a year ago, Farmer Cunningham discovered that something was carrying off his lambs almost as fast as they were born in his flock. He suspected that this was being done by a wildcat, and he set a trap to see if he could not catch the animal. When he went to his trap next morning he was amazed to find that, instead of a wildcat, he had captured a wolf.

It had been years since any one had seen or heard of wolves in that region, although they were at one time numerous in the Blue mountains. It was evident to Cunningham, however, that if the wolf he had caught in the trap belonged in that neighborhood it had not roamed the woods a solitary representative of its race. It was a she wolf, and, although the animal was held fast by both forefeet in the trap, she was lying patiently on the ground and giving suckle to a baby wolf when Cunningham appeared on the scene.

When the wolf saw him she sprang to her feet and savagely confronted him. He shot her through the head and captured the whelp alive. It was not more than three weeks old. Cunningham took it home with the carcass of the old one. The young wolf moaned piteously for its mother, and the farmer proposed killing it.

His wife would not hear of the killing of the whining cub, and took charge of it herself. She could not induce it to take substance, and it was in a good way to starve to death when Mrs. Cunningham had a bright idea. The night before her husband set the trap one of their ewes was robbed of her lamb. The wolf undoubtedly stole it. Failing in all her efforts to introduce food into the stomach of the baby wolf, Mrs. Cunningham carried it to the bereaved ewe.

The ewe was brought from the pasture to the farm-yard, and for weeks visitors saw the strange spectacle of a sheep suckling a wolf, the wolf, beyond all doubt, being the offspring of the one that robbed the sheep of her own young.

The wolf throve amazingly on sheep's milk, and the strange foster-parent and child formed the strongest kind of an attachment to each other which remained unbroken until the death of the sheep a few weeks ago.

As the wolf grew the unsociability if not the entire savageness of its kind manifested itself, and he was kept securely chained. Although it was Mrs. Cunningham who saved his life, the wolf did not like her to come near him, but he early showed the greatest friendship to Farmer Cunningham, who handled him as easily as he would a house dog.

The old ewe sheep was the churn sheep of the farm, and it was no uncommon sight to see her and the wolf asleep side by side, but there was good reason to believe that no other sheep on the farm could have approached within reach of him with safety. A short time ago a barn door fell on the ewe and killed her. It was churning day, and Cunningham was at a loss to know what to do for power to run the treadmill that operated the churn.

Finally he thought of the wolf, which is an unusually large and powerful one. He resolved to try the animal as a churner and put him on the mill. The wolf objected strongly at first, but when the machine started he submitted and ran off the churning in excellent style. Since then he has been regularly engaged in running the machine, and he goes to his work as cheerfully as an animal of his kind could be expected to.

Complaint of Mormons.

Leading Mormons from Salt Lake City are always to be found in New York City, and they often tell of the hardships of Mormondom under the new policy of the Government, by which they have lost control in Utah. "Why," said one of them to a New York Sun reporter, "we are subjected to as much pressure as the Jews in Russia. Yet no public meeting are held in our defense. A great deal of our land has been taken from us, our church property has been put under taxation that it can not bear; our social institutions are forcibly changed; the Gentiles infringe upon our rights, and admission into the Union as a State is refused to us. The consequences will soon be seen. The old State of Deseret, or a great part of it, will be deserted by the people who for forty years have been tilling its fields and rearing its cities. In a few months we shall begin to move out of the United States as the Jews are moving out of Russia, and our people will find new homes in Mexico, where we have secured a broad slice of territory, and where we will not be interfered with. After that time you will never again be troubled over the Mormons."

Itinerant Dress Cleaners.

A new female device for earning a livelihood is that of going around to the houses of society people and cleaning and repairing fine dresses that have been accidentally soiled or otherwise injured. The scheme was developed in Buffalo. There are some women, who have all they can attend to in this line.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE intend to apply at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners of the City of Victoria for a transfer of the license of the Caledonia Saloon, situate corner of Cormorant and Store streets, from Joseph Carpenter to us.

Dated 12th day of August, 1891.

JOSEPH MEUNIER,
au18-1m HENRY TOM.

NOTICE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that I intend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the City of Victoria, at its next regular meeting, for a license to sell and supply beer, porter and wines with meals, and not otherwise, at the Balmoral Restaurant, No. 40 Broad street, Victoria.

Dated 7th day of August, 1891.

F. W. GARLAND,
Balmoral Restaurant,
au7-1m 40 Broad street, Victoria.

NOTICE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT I INTEND to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the city of Victoria at its next regular meeting for a transfer of my license to sell intoxicating liquors by retail at the premises situate on the corner of Store and Discovery streets, Victoria City, known as the Western Hotel, to Alexander Cameron McAlpin of the city of Victoria.

JOHN DOHERTY.

Dated Victoria, 5th August, 1891. au5-1m

NOTICE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that I intend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the city of Victoria at its next regular meeting for a transfer of the license to sell wines, liquors and cigars by retail at the premises known as the Market Exchange, No. 32 Fort street, in the said city of Victoria, B.C., to R. McKenzie Munro of the same city.

(Signed) GEORGE THOMSON.

Dated July 30th, 1891. au11d

NOTICE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT I INTEND to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the city of Victoria at its next regular meeting for a transfer of my license to sell intoxicating liquors at the Leland House on the corner of Douglas street and Yates Avenue to R. T. Cole.

JOHN McCARTNEY.
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NOTICE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT I INTEND to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the City of Victoria at its next regular meeting for a transfer of my license to sell intoxicating liquors by retail at the premises known as the Grand Pacific Hotel situated on Johnson and Store streets to Joseph Sauer.

JAMES DALEY.

Dated at Victoria the 1st day of August, 1891. au2-1m

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that I intend to apply at the next sitting of the Licensing Board for a transfer of the license of the Gordon Hotel, Johnson street, from Charles Brewster to myself.

GEORGE DOGHERTY.

Victoria, August 6th, 1891. au7-1m

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All non-perishable exhibits received will be returned in good order and condition, and any instructions as to their disposal will be faithfully carried out. Parties having exhibits of Agricultural, Horticultural and Industrial Products, Specimens of Minerals, Manufactures, Art, Fisheries, or anything that will illustrate the capabilities of this Province are requested to notify the committee, who will attend to the collecting.

Exhibits may be left at the Assembly Rooms, Fort street, where a competent person has been placed in charge to receive them.

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H. A. MUNN, } Committee.
JOS. HUNTER,
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City Hall, Victoria, August 13th, 1891.

FOR SALE, 320 acres Crown Grant land, situated on Salt Spring Island, about one mile from Vesuvius Bay wharf, 60 acres cleared and fenced, 30 acres under crop; an orchard with 200 fruit trees, 16 head of cattle, 50 sheep, a number of pigs, chickens and geese, with dwelling house and barns in good condition. This property is nicely situated on a lake, and near to school and post office. For particulars and price apply to T. W. Mouat on the premises or to
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SKETCH OF THE HISTORICAL CITY OF MEXICO.

A Wonderful Old Place, Full of Ancient Recollections Dating from 1325—Grand Buildings and Beautiful Scenery—Some Interesting Incidents.

Mr. C. H. Jones, brother of J. H. Jones, of the [illegible] House, writes the following interesting sketch of the historical old city of Mexico:

Imagine you see an oval shaped valley up among the mountains about 40 miles long and perhaps 30 miles wide at the centre, hemmed in by vast ranges whose towering peaks seem to pierce the sky, and at the centre of the valley several great lakes, one rising above another, the level of nearly all being higher than the spot on which the city stands, and you will get a very good idea of the wonderful valley of Mexico in which is situated the capital of the republic.

The Aztecs founded Tenochitlan (City of Mexico) in 1325, and selected a miry swamp for a foundation. Two centuries later Cortes destroyed the city, but the Spaniards in rebuilding the town retained the old site.

The Mexican capital is therefore built upon a slimy ooze of black mud, but the outer crust of the earth is now as hard and dry as a bone.

The Mexican metropolis is nearer the heavens than any of the great capitals—being a mile straight up in the air above Berlin, London, Paris or Washington.

The city is without drainage or sewerage systems, but notwithstanding the streets are kept excessively clean—being swept every morning by Peons under the direction of policemen. Its five miles of streets are well paved, wide and like the cities of Spain, cross one another at right angles, the centre of the net work of squares forming the plaza.

A great many people have been deterred from visiting Mexico because of the reported high death rate of that city. As a matter of fact, it is largely confined to Indians and lower classes, who sleep on the ground, using a blanket for clothing by day and bedding at night. The death rate among insurable persons is very low, as proven by insurance companies doing business in the city.

The high altitude of the city, its pure air, and the sun more than off-set all of the miasmatic vapors arising from the earth.

The drainage of the city has been one of the perplexing problems for ages, but is now in process of solution by American engineers. A gigantic cut must be made through the mountains, as there is no natural outlet to the valley.

We do not want to weary the reader with these general features, so that, if you will accompany me to the top of the mighty cathedral over there facing the plaza and in the centre of the city, we will take a bird's-eye view of the town and its surroundings.

We pay our fee to a cream-faced Mexican girl and proceed to wear our legs sore in climbing up hundreds of steps until we reach a cross beam above the forty great bells that thunder out the hours as we look. We are two hundred feet above the level of the earth and seventy-five hundred feet above the level of the sea. Fifty feet below where we are sitting is the spot on which the Aztecs sacrificed their victims in the days of Montezuma. In that long, low building in front of us you may see the curiously carved stone upon which the victims lay when the sharp obsidian knife was plunged into their vitals, and there is the great stone pot which was used to catch their blood as it flowed down the trench from the altar. With the extinction of the Aztec empire there faded away a system of heathen worship embodying human sacrifice as weird, mystical, and withal as diabolical as ever darkened the annals of a people.

We look away from the city and find that our vision is limited by towering mountains that encircle the little valley—making a natural series of fortifications. A great plain of beautiful green spreads out from the vast network of buildings until it is lost in the hazy blue of the mountain slopes. Up the valley we see the lake sparkling in the distance. The great volcanoes of Popocatepetl and Ixtaccihuatl look down upon us from their caps of everlasting snow. Canals in shining little streams border the city limits, and away off there at the edge of a great clump of trees is the summer residence of President Diaz, the castle of Chapultepec, the White House of Mexico. We glance at the city below us, it looks as large as St. Louis. The square built houses which wall the pavements with smooth plastered fronts fairly glisten in the bright sun of the southland.

The lovely, wide avenue you see over there is the Paseo, along which dashes as gay a set of turnouts as you find in Central Park or the Bois de Boulonge. There are a number of these spots of green square throughout the city; that long strip of forest over there to the right is where fashionable Mexico walks for an hour or so on Sunday, and where there is music every afternoon the year round.

You will observe that the roofs of the houses are all flat and you look in vain for chimneys. Mexico does all of its heating by charcoal. The many white and gay colored patches above the roofs are the family washings. All Mexican houses are built with a patios or court in the center.

The grand cathedral is at once interesting and historic, and stands as a connecting link between the Mexico of the past and the present. There is something gloomy, even pathetic, about this massive structure, the walls alone cost two million dollars, while many millions were expended in interior decorations—but to day it is but a reflection of its former splendor. But doubtless your eyes ache and you are somewhat bewildered with the variety of views that crowd upon you, we will therefore descend to the street, and as we saunter along there we will have a look at the people at close range. This is the Calle de Francisco where one may see the foreign shops and principal hotels. Here you may see representatives of nearly every civilized nation, besides all the various element of Mexico's own people and you see how cosmopolitan it all is. A little further along we pass a Peon in a broad sombrero, bright hued blanket and sandals. The Spanish and Mexican gentlemen do not differ essentially from their American neighbors in dress but the middle and lower classes preserve the national costume. We are everywhere accosted by peddlers in big hats and red blankets, offering opals, beautifully carved canes and other curios in endless variety. A wrinkled, faced old woman, with a little black shawl drawn sharply about her face tells us she is very poor. We give her a copper and her ever repeated "Muchas gracious Senor," makes us feel like a benevolent prince. Newsboys cry out in the soft Spanish tongue. But this is the flower market; here we can buy a bouquet for two bits that would cost ten dollars in New York. Very pretty girls offer us lovely roses for almost nothing. A swell carriage with splendid horses dashes by you, its silver mounted harness glistening in the sunlight, and its coachman wearing a gorgeous sombrero and his pants lined with silver. It contains the wife and daughter of a rich hacendado, who are going for a drive on the Paseo. On the other side of the street is an Indian girl, whose wealth of black hair streams in a frowsy way down her back, and whose plump form is bent almost double under the heavy load of red jars she is carrying; on the side of the street runs a bunch of little burros with great bales of hay that almost hide their little bodies from view; close behind them is a poor Indian carrying a great bundle on his back, held in place by a strap that comes over his forehead. Presently you see a primitive wooden wheeled cart drawn by oxen, and then the street car passes, and you notice that there are first and second class cars. Wherever you cast your eye it meets with a new sight; here are water-carriers and peddlers, millionaires and paupers, all mixed up together in one of the most picturesque and most delightful conglomerations you will find anywhere in the world. Little fruit and candy stands are temptingly laden with tropical fruit and home-made candies, little slabs of white looking cheese, nuts, etc., a large amount of which may be had for five cents.

The brief sketch of the city would be manifestly incomplete without a glance at the far famed Spanish beauties. We speak of the Spanish ladies as a class and not as individuals. The Spanish girl is beautiful in a purely physical sense only—that is, to the well balanced American who takes the average American girl for a standard. Large, soft, black eyes, black hair, red lips, regular features, almost colorless complexions and magnificent figures are the possessions of most Spanish girls. They move or lounge around with an easy, indolent grace that is captivating. They are the most graceful dancers in the world. Woe to the inexperienced blonde young man who trusts himself among those witching dark eyed faries of the Southland. Their marvellous eyes are very impressive, as they look out at you from the soft, white lace mantilla gathered in their hair and sing you a little Spanish love song with guitar accompaniment, in their soft native tongue. But this is all physical. They do not possess the high moral sensibilities of the American girl; they do not possess moral beauty; they smoke and gamble and do numberless things that we American people cannot countenance. Therefore the Spanish girl's beauty is purely that of the flesh—they are as deficient in moral beauty as they are famous for their physical beauty, and even this passes speedily away, for very early in life they become stout and often gross in appearance.

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Dec. 30.

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JOHN GRANT,
Mayor.

Victoria, August 18th, 1891. au18

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WEATHER REPORT.

VICTORIA, B. C., August 22, 1891.
Corrected by Mr. F. C. Gamble, C.E.

Time	Ther'ter	Bar.	Wind	Remarks.
7 a.m.	67.0	30.29	W by S	Clear
8 a.m.	70.0	30.26	S.W.	"
10 a.m.	69.0	30.21	"	"
6 a.m.	54.0	30.19	"	Fair
1 p.m.	67.0	30.18	S.W by W	Clear

Temperature—Highest, 74; lowest, 54.

TIDE RECORD—VICTORIA HARBOR, B.C.

For 24 hours ending 1 p.m. Aug 22, 1891.
Datum—Ordinary low water Spring tides.
Lowest water observed 1.5 below datum, Jan. 10 and 11, 1891.
Highest, 10.10 above datum, Dec. 25, 1890.

FRIDAY, Aug. 21.				SATURDAY, Aug. 22.			
Hr.	Tide ft above datum	Hr.	Tide ft bove datum.	Hr.	Tide ft above datum.	Hr.	Tide ft above datum.
1	3.25	8	6.75	1	6.00	8	4.25
2	5.00	9	6.00	2	7.33	9	3.00
3	6.33	10	5.42	3	7.66	10	2.00
4	7.16	11	5.42	4	7.66	11	1.83
5	7.50	12	5.92	5	7.50	12	2.50
6	7.33			6	6.50	1	3.60
7	7.00			7	5.50		

SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

Matters of Interest Going Forward in the Sporting World, Here and Elsewhere.

THE TURF.

A VICTORIA HORSE WINS MONEY.

SEATTLE, Aug. 21.—The day at Kent to-day was typical racing weather. Crowds were present, and the track was almost perfect.

In the half mile and repeat Smooth wire won the first heat, with Jim R a close second, Raindrop third. Time 49¼.

In the second heat Jim R won with Smooth Wire second, rest bunched.

The third heat was won by Smooth Wire, Jim R a close second.

In the 2:22 trotting, Edwin C was the favorite at the pools. The first heat was very close, Delcho winning, Edwin C second, Bishop Hero third. Time 2:26.

The second and third heat was a repetition of the first. Time 2:26½ and 2:25½ respectively.

The quarter mile dash was won by Cyclone with E M B a close second, Queen third. Time 24 seconds.

The three minute race did not come off on account of the evening drawing on.

(Special to the TIMES.)

FRIDAY'S RACES AT KENT.

SEATTLE, Aug. 22.—Yesterday was another fine day at Kent races, bringing out large crowds from Seattle and Tacoma. The day opened with a three minute trot; five starters, Pearl Fisher was the favorite all through the race at the pools. She won in three straight heats; Phalmont Boy, second; Royal Kesbar third; Prince and Bill McGregor distanced; time, 2:31 for each heat. Carrie M. won the five eights mile dash, after running off a dead heat with Lelia and Belle Moore, third; time 0:03. Dr. Johnson's Jean won the gentlemen's roadsters; Kirkland, second; Travetta distanced; time, 2:57½.

THE OAR.

WESTMINSTER PERPLEXITIES.

NEW WESTMINSTER, Aug. 21.—McLean the oarsman is growing beyond the championship race. He not only has power on his side, but shells. He thinks the race ought to have been made to give local champions a chance.

The following telegram was received here this morning: "A. B. McKenzie, Esq., J. A. Teneyck, Point of Pines, N. Y.—Will row McLean skiff race for purse of $500 and expenses at celebration. Answer." Nothing is decided yet, but it is probable that McLean will accept, barring expenses.

A round robin is going through the city to-day for the signatures of those wanting horse racing. It will be presented at the celebration committee's meeting on Monday. There is sure to be a lively fight over it. The rowing men charge that the horsemen want to burst up the whole show. The horsemen say they will not tolerate such expenditures for the sake of seeing a water procession. The round robin has been largely signed already.

A telegram was received at 1 o'clock to-day from Mr. Good, of Toronto, by A. B. McKenzie: "Send along expenses and Hanlan and O'Connor will come."

THE GUN.

The Union Gun Club held a practice shoot this afternoon. On Monday the contestants will be classified for the final shoot next Saturday in the Curtis-Harvey competition.

Cashier Wilcox's Case.

PORT TOWNSEND, Aug. 21.—John A. Wilcox, formerly cashier of the Port Townsend National Bank, who absconded last winter with $10,000 of the bank's funds, has been arrested in Colfax, Cal., and was brought back here to-day by Chief of Police Delaney. Wilcox was a trusted officer of the bank here, and well respected. During the boom he used the bank's funds for private speculation, and invested heavily in a fish-preserving establishment, which proved a failure. He has a wife and two children, and is in the last stages of consumption.

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TERMS CASH.

JOSHUA DAVIES
Auctioneer.

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DIED.

MORTIMER—In Victoria, on the 22nd instant, Alexander, the infant son of James Mortimer, auctioneer.

ROBINSON—In this city, on the 21st instant, William Charles Robinson, a native of Middlesex, England, aged 30 years.

The funeral will take place on Sunday, at 3:15 p.m., from his late residence, King's Rd., and at 3:30 p.m. at St. James' Church.

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VANCOUVER, B.C.—Leland House, Thursday, Friday & Saturday Oct. 1, 2, 3.

NEW WESTMINSTER, B.C.—Colonial Hotel, (arrive Saturday, leave Tuesday for East) Oct. 5 and 6.

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

Lots 776, 777, 786, 787, 852, 910, 941, 942, 960, 961, 965, 970, 971, 992, 1005 and half of lot 993 in the City of Victoria.

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C. J. LEGGATT,
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Land Registry Office,
Victoria, 22nd August, 1891. a22-1m

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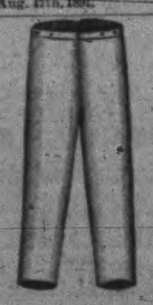
au21-3i Auctioneer.

NOTICE TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

TAKE NOTICE THAT SANG SING YUEN of Nanaimo has bought out the horse, rig and stock of Tung Shang Yuen, of Fisguard street for $140 cash, and intends removing same to Nanaimo this week.

SANG SING YUEN,
42 Fisguard street.

Victoria, Aug. 17th, 1891. au17-1w



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